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NO NOMINATION, COMMITTEE SAYS

Neither Clark, Nor Godwin in Sixth District Congressional Contest

ANOTHER, PRIMARY ORDERED

Date to be Prior to September 15th, and Details to be Arranged by State Chairman—Meeting in Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 24.—The State Democratic Executive Committee, in session tonight, decided that neither H. L. Godwin nor O. L. Clark was legally nominated for Congress in the Sixth District. The committee ordered a voting primary to settle the question of nominations, the date to be prior to September 15th, and the place of the primary to be arranged by a committee appointed by State Chairman Eller.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 24.—In adjourned session continuing from 8:30 to nearly midnight, the State Democratic Executive Committee adopted a report of the special committee headed by ex-Governor Jarvis and Ex-Governor Aycock to the effect that in the Sixth Congressional District neither O. L. Clark, of Bladen, or H. L. Godwin, of Harnett, was duly nominated in the recent sensational convention or conventions at Wrightsville Beach, and that there be general voting primaries throughout the District not later than September 15th for naming delegates to the District Convention that shall declare who the Democratic candidates for Congress in the District shall be; furthermore, that the chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee shall name the committees necessary to carry out the recommendations in the report.

This latter feature means that the District Executive Committee had such serious clashes at the time of the former convention will be expected to stand aside and have the machinery for the primaries and the convention set in motion by a non-partisan committee.

It is understood that candidates generally for nomination for Congress can enter this new primary which it is stipulated must be held in each county, separate and apart and at a different time from any primary or convention for any other purpose.

The meeting of the committee to-night consisted of 24 present in person, and ten by proxy. Ex-Governor Aycock read the report of the investigating committee which consisted of six typewritten pages and reviewed at considerable length the stirring features of the former District Convention as showing that there had been irregularities that disqualified both contestants for making legal nomination. There was a minority report from Hon. Theo. F. Klutz, of Salisbury, insisting that O. L. Clark was the real nominee of the Democrats of the District, but declaring that in the event the State Committee sided with the majority report of his committee that there had been no nomination, then he concurred in the recommendation that there be a general voting primary under supervision of the State Committee.

The reading of the reports of the investigating committee by Gov. Aycock was followed by a resolution by Francis D. Williams, of Greensboro, that the majority be adopted and that the State chairman be authorized to appoint whatever committee were necessary for carrying out the recommendations of the committee, this precipitating a general discussion that continued until 11 o'clock and ended at the time that the majority report of the committee was that the State committee has ample jurisdiction to settle the dispute in the Sixth District; that the investigating committee looked thoroughly into the situation in the Sixth and was satisfied that there had been no nomination of a Congressman and that there having been no nomination, the thing to do was to call voting primaries in all the counties on a common day to send delegates to the District convention under the supervision of the State Chairman or a committee named by him.

THE FATAL RESULT OF FOREST FIRES

More Than Two Hundred Men Victims in North Western States.

SITUATION IS IMPROVING

Conditions in Idaho and Montana Much Better Yesterday—Still Raging in California—List of Fatalities.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 24.—Forest fires have slain more than 200 persons, nearly all fire fighters in Idaho, according to figures compiled tonight from latest reports.

Superintendent Weigle of the Coeur d'Alene National Forest, after receiving many reports of disaster to various parties of his 600 employees, posted a bulletin tonight in his office at Wallace, Idaho, announcing the death of 114 of the men. He also expressed grave concern for the safety of Engineer Joseph Palm, and 94 men who were surrounded by fire Saturday night in the forest on the Big Fork of the Coeur d'Alene river near where another party lost 13 men. Palm was for four years the best football and baseball player of the Washington State College at Pullman.

The charred bodies of 20 fire fighters were found yesterday on Salze creek in the St. Joe country. Two severely scorched Japanese dragged themselves to Avery, Idaho, last night and told of the death of ten of their companions. The 12 men, employees of the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railroad, had gone out to fight fire. They were surrounded by flames and only two men escaped death.

The number of deaths in Washington today was reduced to three, all in the Pan d'Oreille Valley near town. One of these victims, Mrs. Ernest Delehardt, wife of a rancher, is the only woman known to have been burned to death in any of the fires.

Most of the loss of life occurred Saturday afternoon and night, when great bodies of men were striving to check the flames in order to save the various towns that were threatened.

The names of many of the dead never will be known. When the groups of fire fighters were overwhelmed, the camps were also destroyed, the clothes were burned of the bodies of the men and the bodies were of ten so greatly charred that searchers stepped on them, thinking they were pieces of burned logs.

Conditions Improved.

Missoula, Mont., Aug. 24.—Today's developments in the forest fire situation in Montana were encouraging. For the first time in several days the sun shone through the pall of smoke that has hung over Missoula. Hopeful reports came from all directions.

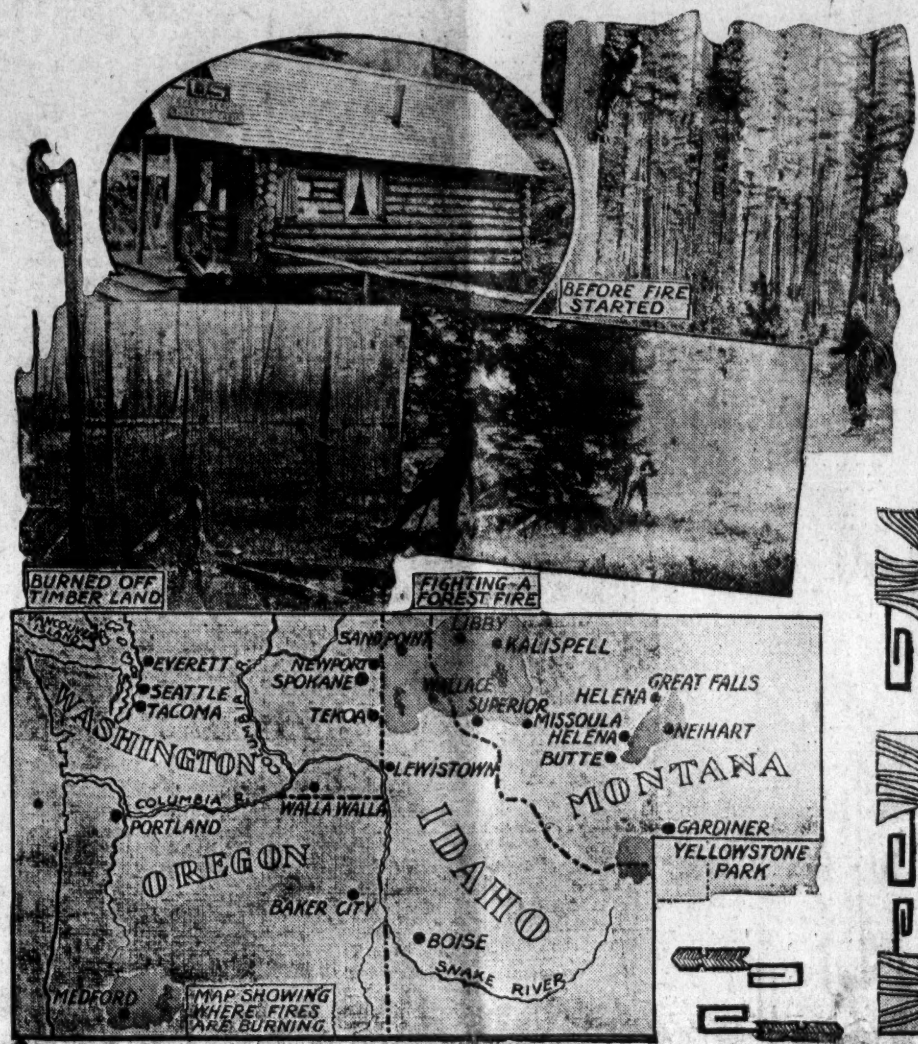
Men, reported as missing, were found. The intensity of the flames was greatly reduced by the snow and rain of last night.

All towns in the fire area are now out of danger.

There are only nine authentic cases of death in Montana. These include eight miners at the Bullion mine near Borax and one death at Taft. A few are still missing, but these gradually are diminishing as communication is restored. The day also brought a denial of a report that Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound train was hemmed in by fire in northern Idaho.

With assurances that the storm of last night had materially lessened the danger, scores of refugees started today from Missoula to return to their deserted homes along (Continued on Page Eight.)

Fighting Great Forest Fires in Four Northwestern States



FIVE CHARGED WITH MUTINY LAND GRABBERS AND INDIANS "CANNONISM" CAUSED DEFEAT

Sailors Brought Across the Sea and Landed in Baltimore Jail to Await Trial—Claim They Were Brutally Treated.

Baltimore, Aug. 24.—Charged with mutiny on the high seas, five young men of Massachusetts, were lodged in jail here today after having been brought 5,000 miles to answer for their alleged crime. They gave their names as William D. Albert, of New Bedford, Charles Mitchell, of Worcester, E. W. Lillya, of Lowell, Charles Turner, of Cambridge, and George White, of Somerville.

They reached this city on the revenue cutter Apache to which they were last night transferred from vessels of the midshipmen's practice squadron, now at the mouth of the Potomac river on which they were brought from the Azores at the request of the United States consul stationed there.

They had been placed in his custody by Capt. Carvello, of the whaler Pedro Varilla, of New Bedford. Also in custody are Jeremiah McCarthy and John W. Haddock, likewise members of the crew of the Varilla, who are held as witnesses. Haddock declares the men charged with mutiny were the ring leaders in the affair which brought about the arrests. The specific allegation against the men is that they disabled the Varilla by so mutilating the windlass and throwing it overboard, making it necessary to go into port for repairs. This the five men acknowledged adding the allegation they were brutally treated and altogether inadequately fed, and that their protest to Capt. Carvello was disregarded.

The Varilla sailed from New Bedford April 27th last for a two years whaling cruise. The men claim they were so miserably fed that on July 3rd they complained to the captain, who is said to have replied:

"If this doesn't suit go somewhere else and get better."

On July 4th the captain and Portuguese mate broke up two games of cards the men were playing. Two days later the windlass was disabled. All the men then on watch were put in irons and so kept until Haddock and McCarthy made statements implicating the men arrested. The latter are said to have been kept in irons 28 days until their arrival at Fayal, Azores Island, during which time their fare, they declare, consisted of a piece of hardtack and a pot of water daily. They were given a preliminary hearing by United States Commissioner Bond on board the Apache before being brought to this city.

Albion, N. Y., Aug. 24.—The Republican County convention of Orleans County in selecting delegates to the State convention today instructed them to favor Theodore Roosevelt for temporary chairman over Vice President Sherman.

Attempt to Gain Possession of Cherokee School Related to Congressional Committee—Land Sharks Unsuccessful.

Pawhuska, Okla., Aug. 24.—An alleged attempt of land grabbers to gain possession of the \$1,000,000 government Indian school at Chillico, in northern Oklahoma, was told of today before the Congressional Committee which is investigating Indian land contracts.

The school comprises numerous stone buildings and 8,000 acres of land, and is open to all Indian children except those of the five civilized tribes. The land is valued at \$400,000. The buildings at \$600,000. Representatives had been told in Washington it was said, that the buildings were dilapidated, the farm lands of little value and that Indians refused to send their children to the school.

The committee made a thorough inspection of the school. The equipment was found to be in excellent condition and the farm lands among the most productive in the State. "Land grabbers" it was said, had had agents working at Washington in an effort to get the government to sell the property for a small amount.

NEGRO FIRED AT OFFICER.

Policemen Stevens Had Harrowing Experience This Morning.

Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning Patrolman Stevens was fired upon by a negro on Second, between Chesnut and Grace streets, but fortunately the bullet went wild. The officer immediately returned the fire and sent three bullets in the direction of the retreating negro, but whether any took effect is not known.

In coming up Second street at the hour mentioned the officer noticed two negroes slipping along very slowly in the grass on the edge of the sidewalk. Their actions looked suspicious to the officer, who concealed himself in the shadow of a telephone pole to watch their movements. When the negroes came up to where he was standing he asked them what they were doing there and their names. One of the negroes took to his heels at once, while the other whipped out a pistol. The officer saw the negro pull the weapon and realized his danger and forthwith brought his weapon into play. The negro fired only one shot and then moved off at a lively rate in an opposite direction from the way the other negro went. Officers searched for the negroes but had not found them at 3 o'clock this morning.

TEXANS DEER FROM HEAT.

High Temperatures at Fort Worth Causes Loss of Three Lives.

Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 24.—Excessive heat exacted a toll of three lives yesterday at Fort Worth. The maximum temperature registered was 102 degrees, two degrees below the record for this year.

Congressmen Livingston and Howard Losers in Georgia—Smith's Majority Over Brown Will be 4,000 Votes—Returns.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 24.—"Cannonism" played an important part in Georgia politics during the last several months and at the Democratic primaries yesterday brought about the defeat of Leonidas F. Livingston and William M. Howard, in point of service the oldest members of the Georgia delegation in the National House of Representatives.

In the fifth district William Schley Howard, a young attorney, won a decisive victory over Livingston. In the eighth district the returns show a convention majority of four votes for S. J. Tribble, and today Congressman Howard filed notice of contests of the election. He charges irregularities at two precincts in Elbert county which gave Tribble a majority of four votes.

The other nine members of Georgia's delegation in Congress are assured re-nomination.

The fight against Livingston and Howard was, in each case, based upon the Representatives' alleged desertion of the Democratic party during the so-called Cannon rules of the House, special tariff session of Congress when the bolt of 23 Democrats came to the famous Fitzgerald motion. Of the six Georgians who joined the Democratic bolters in that fight on Cannon, three were renominated yesterday, Brantley without opposition, and Edwards and Lee.

Former Governor Smith won the nomination for Governor over the incumbent, Joseph M. Brown. Smith's popular majority in the State was approximately 4,000. Two years ago Brown, whom Governor Smith had removed as chairman of the State Railroad Commission, defeated Smith for re-election by a popular majority of more than 10,000. Smith's majority in the convention will be about 35 votes.

Among the few contests for other States offices, J. A. Perry won over B. Stevens for railroad commissioner; M. L. Brittain defeated B. M. Zettler for State school commissioner; T. S. Felder won over the incumbent, Howlett A. Hall, for attorney general.

SUCCESSOR TO BROWNLOW.

Will be Nominated at Tennessee Primary on October 8th.

Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 24.—The Republican committee of the First Tennessee district in a meeting at Greenville today voted to hold a primary October 8th, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to succeed the late Congressman Walter P. Brownlow. Under the rules adopted it is believed the contest will narrow down to three candidates. Daniel Cooper Swab, Sam R. Sells and former United States District Attorney James Penland. Sells is the candidate of the anti-Brownlow faction.

ROOSEVELT WILL FIGHT OLD GUARD

Colonel Announces He Will Wage War in New York State Politics.

HIS PRINCIPLES SUPREME

Defies Those Who Would Oppose Him At State Convention—Caused by Chairman Squabble—State-ments Are Issued.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 24.—Theodore Roosevelt served notice today that he would wage war without quarter on the "Old guard" of the Republican party in New York State. Having been drawn into the fight, as he says, against his will, he has determined to pursue it to the end, win or lose. Mr. Roosevelt's attitude was indicated more clearly than at any time before by a statement which he issued today.

The statement follows: "They will have all the fight they want. I am only going to the convention because I feel that the public interests, the interest of people of New York demand that the Republican party be given a chance to stand squarely and uncompromisingly for clean, decent, honest politics."

"I go to that convention to make the speech exactly as it had been planned originally, and while I hope there will be enough good sense to prevent any one opposing the principles for which I shall stand, yet if they do oppose them then it is their own affair and so far as I am concerned the issue shall be absolutely clean cut."

The Colonel said that he was going into the fight with his eyes open, and with full realization of the fact that he might not be successful. He said he felt that on account of the attitude of members of the organization he was at perfect liberty to carry on uncompromising warfare.

Some of Colonel Roosevelt's closest friends in the State have told him that they were doubtful as to the outcome, and he has replied that he himself felt that even, though he should be successful in the State convention at Saratoga and such a platform as he desired should be adopted, the result of the election would be in grave doubt.

The Colonel has told his friends that he did not feel sure that the Roosevelt-Hughes forces would receive unqualified support from the organization at the polls.

Colonel Roosevelt's endorsement of State Senator Frederick Davenport yesterday was the first step in the fight which he expects to carry on from now until election time. He decided today to go to the State fair in Syracuse on September 17th to speak and at that time may talk politics.

Vice President Sherman, who is one of the central figures in the struggle and whom Colonel Roosevelt opposed by his endorsement of Senator Davenport, said emphatically tonight that he would not talk about the situation.

Backs Up "Old Guard."

New York, Aug. 24.—Colonel Roosevelt's statement that if the "old guard" desires a fight "they will have all the fight they want," found William J. Barnes, Jr., of Albany, in an aggressive attitude tonight. Mr. Barnes will meet State Chairman Woodruff here tomorrow and go over a plan of campaign by which they hope to win at the coming primary.

Colonel Roosevelt's statement was shown Mr. Barnes at the Republican Club tonight and after reading it carefully he said: "The opponents of direct nominations, after the contest they have been through, will not violate the principles for which they have been fighting at the dictation of any one, and it looks as if they have to have the fight."

Country Chairman Griscom indicated to callers late today that there was nothing in the report of a compromise by which Vice President Sherman would be made temporary chairman of the State convention and Colonel Roosevelt would be chosen permanent chairman.

Mr. Griscom's position is that the members of the "old guard," now controlling the party in the State must go.

SULLIVAN PERFORMS FEAT.

Caught Baseball Thrown From Top of Washington Monument.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Catcher Billy Sullivan, of the Chicago Americans today duplicated the feat of Catcher Charles Street, of the Washington American League team last year, in catching a baseball thrown from a window at the top of the Washington monument, a perpendicular drop of 542 feet. Sullivan made three perfect catches in 33 attempts, catching his first ball on the 23rd trial. The balls were thrown from the monument top by Pitchers Ed Walsh and "Doc" White, of the Chicago Americans. Street made one catch of a ball thrown from the monument in 1908. He was the first man to accomplish the feat.

Acton, Mass., Aug. 24.—By the explosion of three wheel mills of the American Powder Mills Company here tonight, two employees were probably fatally hurt. They were blown some distance and are not expected to recover. The loss is estimated at \$20,000.

JUNIORS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

L. T. Hartsell, of Concord, Is Chosen as Next State Councillor.

ASHEVILLE GETS THE NEXT

Business Before the Council Yesterday Largely of Routine Nature. Delegates Having Delightful Time at Beach.

With the election of officers for the ensuing year and the selection of the next meeting place, the North Carolina State Council, Junior Order, United American Mechanics, in session at Tarrymore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, last night completed probably the most important business that will come before this convention, though it was stated that there will be no little interest in resolutions it is proposed to introduce and discuss at today's sessions.

It was thought last night that the business of the Council would be finished at this afternoon's session. Some of the visitors leave today for their homes, but the bulk of them will remain over until Friday or Saturday, and some will linger until Monday. It is quite safe to say that no more thoroughly delightful convention of the State Council has been held in recent years. The visitors are comfortably quartered at the Tarrymore Hotel, headquarters of the convention, and they are unstinted in their praise of the way they are being cared for by the popular hostelry.

A prominent member of the Council from the western part of the State doubtless expressed the sentiments of all when he said last night in response to a question as to when the convention would adjourn: "It is impossible to tell; we are just having such a delightful time here that we are not rushing through with business." It was very evident that all are enjoying to the fullest extent their stay at the seashore.

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS

RACING — BASEBALL — BOXING

HOWARD PITCHES GREAT GAME

Wilmington Wins Easily From Rail-
roaders on Their Home Grounds.
"Rube" Howard Pitched
a Great Game.

Results Yesterday.
At Raleigh 11; Fayetteville 1.
At Wilson 1; Goldsboro 3.
At Rocky Mount 6; Wilmington 4.
Where They Play Today.
Rocky Mount at Wilmington.
Wilson at Fayetteville.
Raleigh at Goldsboro.

Four to naught was the song the wires sang to the fans at the matinee at Struthers' yesterday and it was all Wilmington's way. "Rube" Howard essayed the mound for the locals and his victory came with but a single hit yielded while an even dozen were garnered off the opposing artist.

In the third inning the umpire fined and put out of the game Bert Kite, Wilmington's steady, who was never known to kick unless he had a kick coming. He was replaced by Hudson. Klutz and Cooper, first of the Sailor outfit to get into action, were out pitcher to first, but Tidy Ty, next up, got an infield hit and Orth followed with another safety which registered Ty. Doak was then out pitcher to first. For Rocky Mount Peartree skied to left, Gastmeyer expired short to first, Stein got life on an infield hit, but Creagan availed to centre.

Second: Kite fanned, Mills out short to first, Dubbs pitcher to first. For Rocky Mount, Gillespie was safe on Dubbs' error but Sharkey was out third to first, Forgue flied to short and Dussault to right.
Third: Howard ethered, Klutz was safe from the infield, Cooper flied to short and Klutz was caught off first. Rocky Mount: Wilson flied to Mills, Peartree walked and pilfered second, Gastmeyer skied to left, Stein ambled but Peartree was caught off second.
Fourth: Tidy Ty flied to first, Orth singled to left, Doak forced Orth at second while Doak himself was caught and handed with designs on second. For Rocky Mount, Creagan was out second to first, Gillespie pitcher to first, Forgue walked, but Sharkey whiffed.

Fifth: Hudson flied to left, Mills walked, Dubbs out third to first, Mills advancing to second, but Howard was out pitcher to first. Dussault bunted and was out Hudson to first, Wilson third to first, Peartree on fly to left.
Sixth: Klutz started with a single to left and was sacrificed by Cooper. Then Orth hit to short too hot to handle and on wild throw Klutz crossed the rubber. Doak singled to left and Hudson was out third to first. For Rocky Mount Gastmeyer was out short to first and Stein and Creagan were easy victims of Rube's twister.

Seventh: After Mills was out pitcher to first and Dubbs skied to right, Our Own Reuben hit a screamer to the same territory for two sacks, but Klutz's best was a fly to right. Rocky Mount, Gillespie skied to centre, Forgue fouled to catcher and Sharkey flied to first.
Eighth: After Cooper was out third to first, Tydeman singled to left and stole second, scoring when Smiling Al drove to centre, scoring himself when Doak poled out another double to left with one down. Hudson skied to second and Mills flied to short. After the batting exhibition Leary was sent in for Dussault and fanned, Griffin took Wilson's place and walked, but Peartree fanned and Gastmeyer flied to short, the Railroaders finding it too late to stem the tide.
Ninth: After Dubbs skied to centre, Howard and Klutz coupled up two more singles to right, while Cooper walked, but strange to relate Tydeman and Orth each fanned. Rocky Mount: Stein fanned, Creagan out second to first, Gillespie skied to first.

The Tabulated Score.
Wilmington. AB R H PO A E
Klutz, cf. 5 1 3 4 0 0
Cooper, 2b. 4 0 0 1 2 0
Tydeman, 1b. 5 2 2 1 0 0
Orth, 2b. 5 1 3 0 0 0
Doak, rf. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Hudson, c. 2 0 0 5 1 0
Kite, c. 1 0 0 1 0 0
Mills, 1b. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Dubbs, ss. 4 0 0 2 2 1
Howard, p. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Totals. 37 4 12 27 10 1
Rocky Mount. AB R H PO A E
Peartree, cf. 4 0 0 3 0 0
Gastmeyer, 2b. 4 0 0 3 0 0
Stein, 1b. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Creagan, cf. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Gillespie, 3b. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Forgue, ss. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Sharkey, 1b. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Dussault, c. 4 0 0 2 1 0
Wilson, p. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Griffin, p. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Totals. 36 0 0 12 13 1

Score By Innings.
Wilmington. 100 000 000-4 12 1
Rocky Mount. 000 000 000-0 1 1
Summary—Earned runs, Wilmington 3; stolen bases, Tydeman, Peartree, Forgue; innings pitched, Wilson 8; time 1:30; bases on balls, Wilson 2; Howard 10; two base hits, Doak, Orth, Howard; left on bases, Rocky Mount 4; Wilmington 1; time 1:30; umpires, Newsom and Freeman; attendance 450.

PENNANT DREAMS.

Somewhere that Crew may win 'em,
Somewhere they'll show up fine,
Somewhere they'll take two out of three,
But not from the Sailor nine!

Who'd a think it?
Of course Tydeman stole a base on them.

Which was just a continuation of our race a la Paulhan.

"Rube" had 'em in the stocks all through the nine innings.
Of course we could have had a few more hits if we had tried, but that was fair enough.

Two victories at the Roundhouse surely means three here, and won't we ride the elevated?

'Twas once the Wrecking Crew, but ere three days have flown their front name will be in the past tense.
Smiling Al and Klutz were the bat-

ting boys getting three safe ones each, one of Orth's being for an extra cushion.

Congratulations Mr. Stein, you're certainly some pill mauler if you succeeded in finding one of those "Our Rube" carried yesterday.

Also we might slip it to you that Tydeman and Doak were there with the swats that helped brush the dust off the plate.

After Rube had pitched rings all round those Railroaders rattled heads, he stepped in and maulled out a two-bagger and a single just to show 'em that twirling was not the only line he carried.

This morning we have the unique distinction together with Raleigh and Wilson, of tying for three positions in the percentage column, third, fourth and fifth, but we'll have to bid 'em good bye this P. M.

A scout from the Mobile club of the Southern League arrived in the city last night, and will look over the city and the games this week. It was rumored on pretty good authority that he has his optics most especially on our little Darling Dubbs, and here's where we're rooting that he looks favorable, for he deserves to be in better company, although we hate to lose one of our brightest stars.

ELEVEN TO ONE IS THE SCORE

Bunched Hits and Good Base Running
Gave Raleigh Yesterday's Game
With Fayetteville—High-
lander Hits Scattered.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 24.—Bunched hits and good base running spelled victory for the Red Birds today to the tune of 11 to 1, the Highlanders having the misfortune to scatter eleven hits all through the game in most unavailing manner.

The Tabulated Score.
Fayetteville. AB R H PO A E
Mullins, cf. 5 0 3 4 0 2
Schuman, rf. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Dwyer, 1b. 4 1 5 0 0 0
Brittenstein, 2b. 4 0 1 0 1 1
Thorpe, p. 4 0 0 3 0 4
Lambert, 3b. 4 0 0 2 1 1
Gatlin, c. 4 0 0 0 9 1
Brandt, 1b. 4 0 0 1 2 0
Cantwell, ss. 4 0 0 3 0 2
Totals. 36 1 11 23 8 3
Raleigh. AB R H PO A E
Clumens, 1b. 5 2 3 3 1 1
Keating, ss. 4 1 2 4 3 1
Lambert, 3b. 4 0 3 1 0 0
Mullane, cf. 4 0 1 1 0 0
Richardson, 1b. 4 0 0 1 0 0
Stannus, 2b. 4 0 2 2 1 0
Bible, 2b. 4 2 2 4 2 0
McComick, c. 4 2 0 3 3 0
Sheehan, p. 4 1 1 1 1 1
Totals. 36 11 13 27 13 2

Fayetteville. 1000 000 000-1 11 5
Raleigh. 001 102 40x-11 13
Summary—Bunched hits, McComick, Sheehan 2; Thorpe hit by pitched ball; Landgraf; bases on balls, Thorpe 3; Sheehan 2; struck out, Thorpe 4; Sheehan 1; wild pitches, Sheehan; double plays, Hobbs to Richardson; Keating to Bible; left on bases, Fayetteville 8, Raleigh 8; time 1:50; umpire, Henderson; attendance 500.

TELL OF "JACK-POT."

More Bars Lifted in Trial of Legislator Browne.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Judge Kersten in the criminal court today lifted more bars in the second trial of Lee O'Neill Browne, charged with bribing Representative Charles White to vote for William Lorimer for Senator. The judge ruled that Representative H. J. C. Beckmeyer might answer questions about the alleged legislative "Jack-pot" of 1909. Judge Kersten overruled the objections of the defense to the testimony of both Beckmeyer and Representative Michael S. Link.

Beckmeyer declared that Browne paid him \$1,000 in the Southern Hotel, St. Louis, June 21st, 1909, saying "There will be some more in a few weeks."

Subsequently Beckmeyer said he was told to visit St. Louis. This time he declared he met Representative Robert E. Wilson and received \$900 "Jack-pot" money from him. Wilson is now under indictment for perjury for denying this story to the grand jury.

Through Beckmeyer the prosecution introduced a register of the Southern Hotel, St. Louis, bearing the signature of "L. O. Browne," June 21st, 1909, the date on which Beckmeyer says he got the \$1,000, and the signature of "Robert E. Wilson" July 15th, 1909, when the "Jack-pot" was alleged to have been divided.

ANOTHER SPEED RACE.

Practice Begins on Elgin Course for Big Auto Meet.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—A large crowd saw fast practice over the Elgin automobile course today. Ray Harroun loved the practice record by making a lap slightly over eight and a half miles in 1:12.

The races will be run on Friday and Saturday with what is said to be the most representative list of stock cars ever called out by a road race. The list of drivers is a distinguished one.

Warrenton, Va., Aug. 24.—More than 500 entries have been filed for the Warrenton horse show, the 12th annual exhibition, which will take place August 31st and September 1st. Among the entries are some of the highest class of hunters ever brought together in an American show.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The population of Mobile is 51,521, an increase of 13,052, or 33.9 per cent., as compared with 38,469 in 1900.

HOW THEY WILL STAND TO-NIGHT.
Rocky Mount. 571 538
Goldsboro. 538 538
Wilmington. 519 581
Raleigh. 519 581
Wilson. 530 580
Fayetteville. 410 560

ERRORS BY BENBOW AT SHORT

Cost Wilson Game With Goldsboro Yesterday Afternoon, Score Three to One—How the Runs Came—The Score.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., Aug. 24.—Innumerable errors and a wild throw by Benbow was the cause of Wilson's defeat by Goldsboro this afternoon. Lane pitched a great game, the visitors not getting a single hit until the seventh inning. Pearce was great also.

Nothing of interest had transpired when Wilson went to the bat in the fifth when Armstrong gained first on an error, was sacrificed to second by Phelps, went to third on Sharpe's infield and scored on Lane's infield hit. In Goldsboro's seventh McDonald and Morgan scored on two hits, an error and a wild throw. Again in the ninth on two singles, an error and being hit by pitched ball, Morgan scored. The features were Evans' sensational catch in left field.

The Tabulated Score.
Goldsboro. AB R H PO A E
Gates, 2b. 5 0 0 2 0 0
Handbook, cf. 4 0 0 3 0 0
Sharpe, rf. 4 0 1 0 0 0
McDonald, 1b. 4 1 8 0 0 0
Brown, 2b. 4 0 0 3 0 2
Morgan, ss. 4 2 1 0 1 1
Evans, 1b. 4 0 1 3 0 0
Dalley, c. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Pearce, p. 4 0 0 0 3 0
Totals. 36 3 12 27 13 6

Wilson. AB R H PO A E
Wilson, 1b. 4 0 0 4 0 0
Jacobson, 2b. 4 0 0 0 4 0
Benbow, ss. 4 2 1 3 1 4
Vesilake, cf. 4 0 1 3 1 0
Miller, rf. 4 0 1 1 0 1
Sheridan, cf. 4 0 1 0 1 0
Armstrong, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Phelan, 1b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Sharpe, 2b. 4 0 0 1 3 3
Lambert, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Hearse, c. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Stewart, p. 4 0 0 0 0 0
Totals. 36 2 7 27 13 6

Summary—Bunched hits, Benbow 1; hit by pitched ball, Dalley, Primus; bases on balls, Lane 1, Pearce 1; struck out, Pearce 6; Lane 1; wild throws, Benbow; stolen bases, Sheridan, Morgan; left on bases, Goldsboro 5, Wilson 8; time 1:45; umpire, Harre.

TAFT PRESENTS CUP.

Won by American Yachtsmen in Races With Spaniards.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 24.—The Spanish sander yachtsmen, who have been racing the Americans for the past ten days without much success as far as prizes are concerned, came over from Marblehead today as guests of President Taft and to witness the presentation of the Mayflower to the President Taft cup to Charles F. Adams, second, owner and skipper of the winning yacht Harpoon. The President asked a number of his golf friends and neighbors to the ceremony, and for an hour or more before noon, Saenger Bay was alive with dashing launches.

President Taft presented the cup to Capt. Adams, on the afterdeck of the Mayflower. The President said he had heard of Mr. Adams' prowess and presented the cup as an evidence of his hard work and because he was the best sailor on the Atlantic coast.

Mr. Adams responded with a few words of thanks. Luncheon was then served in the cabin of the Mayflower. At its conclusion President Taft read a cablegram from the Royal Sporting Club, of Bilbao, expressing gratification at the reception given the Spaniards here. The President then said he was glad to welcome the sporting representatives of Spain, adding that the Spanish and English languages covered most of the globe. He expressed the hope that the relations between the two countries would become closer and concluded by proposing a toast to King Alfonso, of Spain.

Spanish Minister Riano responded for the visitors saying that the visit of the Spanish yachtsmen had been a great success and that the hospitality of the Americans had been most cordial. He then proposed a toast to President Taft.

In his address to the assemblage on the Mayflower, President Taft said: "It has been my fortune within the last ten years to come in close contact with the Spanish character and with the results of Spanish economy and enterprise and courage. I think the Spaniards may well continue to take part in sailing contests when you look back to Magellan, El Cano and those heroes who found new worlds in cockle shells that no sane man would try to sail now. A record of bravery that is unequalled in the history of the world. My experience with the Spanish-speaking people has been so delightful that I have come to admire the Spanish character and Spanish courtesy so much that it gives me the greatest personal pleasure to meet these representatives of that grand old kingdom, and I extend to them a heartfelt welcome and as an evidence of our feelings, and I am sure I speak for all the American people, I wish to give you the toast, 'Long live the King of Spain.'"

The Spanish minister responded to the President's toast as follows: "Mr. President: I thank you for the welcome which has been so kindly extended to my compatriots here. Their visit has been a success from every point of view. The hospitality that has been shown them has been incredible. Everywhere we have been, by land and by sea, we have been followed and accompanied by our flag, side by side with the stars and stripes."

"This has touched us all deeply, and I beg to express to you and to every one who has been so kind to them, their heartfelt thanks."

"Gentlemen, I propose the health of the President." Each toast was drunk in silence and followed by applause.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Rocky Mount	11	11	.500
Goldsboro	12	12	.500
Wilmington	13	13	.500
Raleigh	13	13	.500
Wilson	12	12	.500
Fayetteville	10	14	.417

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Athletics	29	34	.459
Boston	27	48	.358
New York	26	50	.343
Detroit	24	51	.321
Cleveland	20	63	.243
Washington	21	65	.243
Chicago	15	67	.182
St. Louis	34	77	.306

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	23	35	.398
Pittsburgh	20	43	.318
New York	18	45	.288
Philadelphia	17	55	.236
Cincinnati	16	55	.222
Brooklyn	14	59	.187
St. Louis	14	59	.187
Boston	14	74	.157

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Chicago made it three straight from Boston today, winning the final game 11 to 1. Curtis was wild in the sixth, issuing four passes and forcing in two runs. Evans had no better control, forcing in another tally and making a wild pitch that counted a runner.

Boston. 000 010 000-1 4 2
Chicago. 000 010 000-1 4 2
Summary—Singles, Brown, Dalley, Phelps; hit by pitched ball, Dalley, Primus; bases on balls, Lane 1, Pearce 1; struck out, Pearce 6; Lane 1; wild throws, Benbow; stolen bases, Sheridan, Morgan; left on bases, Goldsboro 5, Wilson 8; time 1:45; umpires, Klem and Kane.

Cincinnati, Aug. 24.—Rowan had the better of Rucker in a ten-inning pitchers' battle today. Rowan allowed only three scattered hits and was never in danger. Rucker was effective up to the tenth, when a hit, a stolen base and another single brought home the winning tally.
Cincinnati. 000 000 000-1 9 0
Cincinnati. 000 000 000-0 3 0
New York. 000 010 000-1 4 2
Rowan and McLean; Rucker and Berger; time 2:05; umpires, Rigler and Emslie.

St. Louis, Aug. 24.—Lush weakened in the final inning today, allowing three runs and losing the game for St. Louis.
St. Louis. 000 010 000-2 6 1
New York. 000 010 000-4 8 1
Lush and Phelps; Ames and Schley; time 1:55; umpires, Johnstone and Eason.

Pittsburg, Aug. 24.—Philadelphia today made their last appearance of the season in Pittsburg and won the game in the sixth inning when, Mawrey made a home run with the bases full.
Philadelphia. 000 015 220-10 12 3
Pittsburg. 000 010 300-5 12 3
Ewing and Moran; Adams, Leever, Leifield and Gibson; time 2:00; umpires, Brennan and O'Day.

YOUTH KILLED MOTHER.

Accidentally Shot Her While Trying His New Rifle.

Corey, Pa., Aug. 24.—Mrs. Robert Thompson, aged 32, of Pittsfield, near here, was shot and instantly killed today by her 12-year-old son, Dewey. The boy had been presented with a rifle and was showing his mother how he would kill a burglar. The gun was discharged, striking Mrs. Thompson in the head.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 24.—Clyde H. Marshall, of Kingston, N. Y., with an average of 268 words a minute, today won the National short-hand reporting championship cup. W. B. Bottom, of New York, holder of the title and ineligible for the cup, again broke the world's record with an average of 269 words.

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begs to announce that, having completed its New Bottling Plant, the water is now being shipped,

and the Hotel is open for guests.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

WASHINGTON, AUG. 24.—A two-bagger

by Gray and a single by Schaefer enabled Washington to defeat Chicago today 3 to 2 in the tenth inning. The catching of Almsmith and shortstop play of McBride and Zelder were features.

Washington. 000 000 2001-3 9 2
Chicago. 020 000 0000-2 6 2
Gray and Almsmith; Olmstead and Block; umpires, Colliflower and Connolly; time 2:00.

Boston, Aug. 24.—Benjamin Franklin Hunt, a tall lefthand pitcher who came to Boston from the Sacramento, California Club, pitched a fine game for the home team today and St. Louis was defeated 5 to 2. The visitors made but four hits and seven of them struck out.

St. Louis. 000 001 100-2 4 2
Boston. 021 010 01x-3 11 1
Hall and Killifer; Hunt and Carrigan and Klenow; time 2:01; umpires, Egan and O'Loughlin.

Philadelphia, Aug. 24.—Philadelphia by winning today's game by 3 to 1, made a clean sweep of the series with Cleveland. Both pitchers were effective, Bendr striking out 12 batsmen, but wildness by Kaler in the third inning and Murphy's two-bagger and singles by Barry and Thomas and an error in the fourth inning gave the home team the victory.

Cleveland. 100 000 000-1 6 2
Philadelphia. 001 200 00x-3 5 1
Kaler and Land; Bender and Thomas; time 1:50; umpires, Kern and Evans.

New York, Aug. 24.—New York hit Donovan freely in the seventh and eighth innings today and took the last game from Detroit 6 to 0. Vaughn, while seven hits were made off him, kept these scattered that no runs resulted.

Detroit. 000 000 000-0 7 0
New York. 000 000 33x-6 8 1
Donovan and Stange; Vaughn and Criger; time 1:30; umpires, Dineen and Perrine.

MINOR LEAGUES.

Southern League.
At Birmingham 3; Atlanta 1.
At Montgomery 1; Nashville 4.
At New Orleans 2; Memphis 0.
At Mobile 4; Chattanooga 1.

South Atlantic League.
At Savannah-Jacksonville, rain.
At Columbia 4; Macon 1.
At Columbia 6; Augusta 4.

Virginia League.
At Roanoke 2; Richmond 0.
At Petersburg 3; Lynchburg 3; (9 innings, rain.)
At Danville 0; Norfolk 6.

Carolina League.
At Spartanburg 0; Greensboro 1.
At Charlotte 0; Anderson 1.
At Winston-Salem 4; Greenville 2.

REV. CROWLEY TO BRUNSWICK.

Will Conduct Services at Town Creek and Shallotte.

Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, will leave today for a visit to Town Creek and Shallotte, in Brunswick county. Tonight he will preach in the New Hope Presbyterian Church at Town Creek and Friday, Saturday and Sunday will preach at Shallotte, returning to Wilmington Monday. Services at Immanuel Presbyterian Church Sunday morning will be conducted by Mr. W. M. Cumming and at night by Rev. J. E. L. Winecoff, president of the James Sprunt Institute, Kenansville. Professor Wormersley, of this city, will have charge of the song service at night.

The messages from the merchants are always interesting and usually effect the "state of your purse."

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INVESTIGATING THE WRECK

Crash in Union Station at Raleigh Subject of Inquiry—To State Prison—Democratic Headquarters—Depot.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 24.—The North Carolina Corporation Commission devoted considerable time today to the examination of additional witnesses as to the collision in the union station here last week in which two negro excursionists were killed and 14 others were injured just as they were passing out of their train in which they had been to Durham on a moonlight excursion, the accident being due to a Seaboard passenger train, northbound, running into the station on the wrong track.

The most important witness examined today was Engineer Vaden, of the Seaboard passenger train, that crashed into the excursion train as it was standing on its siding under the cars. Mr. Vaden testified that he came into the station under control, making about eight miles an hour and that he put forth his utmost efforts to stop the train within the shortest possible space when he saw that the switch was open for a track already occupied. He said that there is no rule as to the entrance of regular passenger trains coming into stations, although there is a rule requiring freight trains and extra passenger trains to enter such tracks under control. He said that if he had been running at 20 miles an hour as some contend, that the wreckage and loss of life would necessarily have been far greater.

Conductor Tillman, of the Seaboard passenger train, testified that he was not making more than eight miles an hour when he approached the union station switch. Great interest is being manifested in the investigation which is expected to throw considerable light on the question of whether the Seaboard or the Southern is really responsible for the accident or whether both are equally responsible through inadequate precautions against such accidents in the management of the union station, especially while conditions are so "disjointed" between the remodeling of the station now in progress. There were a number of prominent officials of both railroad companies here for the hearing including General Superintendent W. H. Stanley, General Agent W. A. Gore, of the Seaboard Air Line, and General Superintendent H. E. Hutchings, Superintendent A. R. Shelton, Superintendent Spencer Shops E. M. Sasser, and Assistant to First Vice President H. W. Miller, of the Southern. The railroads were represented in the investigation by Col. W. B. Rodman for the Southern and Murray Allen, for the Seaboard Air Line. The findings of the Commission will be announced later.

D. O. Absher and M. I. Absher, two young white men, have just been committed to the State's prison here to serve respectively eight years and one year for murder in Wilkes county. Another convict brought from Wilkes was J. A. Huffman, who is to serve ten years for incest; also a negro woman, Effie Tugman, five years for killing her own child. The party of convicts were brought from Wilkes by Sheriff E. P. Brown yesterday.

State Auditor Dixon is expected back in his office Saturday after two weeks' absence with Mrs. Dixon, who is recovering nicely from a serious illness and operation. They are now at Gastonia with their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Balkins, Jr.

A charter is issued by the Secretary of State to Tri-County Public Service Co., Asheville, capital \$25,000 by R. S. Howland, William Pharr and Chas. I. Lee, for constructing and operating telephone and telegraph lines.

Democratic State Chairman A. H. Eller has arrived from Winston-Salem to open his headquarters here for the pending campaign. He has not yet succeeded in finding suitable rooms for headquarters, but the indications are that he will get settled comfortably and conveniently within a few days. Mr. W. E. Brock, of Wadesboro, the new secretary to the committee, is expected to arrive tomorrow ready to take up his duties for the campaign period in the headquarters here with Chairman Eller.

There has finally been an appeal allowed to the courts from the ruling of the Corporation Commissioners in the Ansonville passenger station matter involving the location of the proposed station for the Winston-Salem Southbound Railroad, the petitioning citizens excepting to the findings of the Commissioners that the station should be at the site outside the town limits as selected by the railroad company instead of well up in town as demanded through J. A. Lockhart, counsel for the petitioners. The issue was first raised after the ruling was made that there was no right of appeal because the Commissioners' money acted as arbitrators in an issue with an embryo railroad over which the Commission would have no authority until it became an active common carrier. Now, however, it seems that this point has been waived and the case is to be reviewed by the courts. The railroad company declares that engineering and grade difficulties preclude the use of the town site contended for.

For the Conservation Congress to meet at St. Paul, Minn., September 3 to 9, Governor Kitchen appoints to represent North Carolina the following: Joseph Hyde Pratt, Chapel Hill; T. Gilbert Pearson, Greensboro; Robert Lewis, Durham; David Stern, Greensboro; Theo. F. Klutz, Salisbury; H. G. Chatham, Winston-Salem; W. T. Crawford, Waynesville; A. M. Fox, Bryson City; Thomas A. Jones, Asheville; J. G. Boyan, Wadesboro; A. B. Justice, Charlotte; R. R. Hay, McAdenville.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 24.—Gambett Wilkes, sire of 2:12 harness horses in the 2:30 class or better, is dead at Cecil Farm, near Danville, Ky. He was 29 years old and was owned by George C. Wilkes.

Transmont Pier, R. I., Aug. 24.—The English polo team, defeated P. Judith, 8 to 1 in a special game at the Point Judith defendant.

CITIZENS ARE INDIGNANT.

Norfolk & Southern Removes Tracks of Goldsboro Traction Co.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 24.—Early yesterday morning the Norfolk and Southern Railway tore up the rails of the Goldsboro Traction Company approaching their track between this city and Revilo Park, thus making it impossible for the traction company to run their cars out to the park, thereby setting at naught the franchise of the city, flaunting in the face of our people an utter disregard for our wishes and manifesting an unpardonable indifference to our progress and wider development. And all, forsooth, because the Goldsboro Traction Company had effected and perfected a crossing of the Norfolk and Southern's line without the formality of an anticipated long delay, "blue prints," supervising objections, etc., on the part of the latter company.

The crossing which the Goldsboro Traction Company put in at the point in question was effected and constructed under the supervision of an absolutely competent civil engineer—the regulation crossing, was substantially constructed, and perfectly adjusted, just such a crossing as those at east and west Centre street; and yet, without the formality of having it inspected by their supervising civil engineer, and without notice or regard for consequences, the Norfolk and Southern came in the night last night and removed this crossing and estopped the service to the community of the Norfolk and Southern and East Goldsboro and Revilo Park.

The citizens of Goldsboro as one man are united in a sentiment of keenest indignation against the Norfolk and Southern authorities for this unwarranted act, and it is sincerely hoped they will soon come to some kind of an agreement in the above controversy.

Mr. W. R. Hudson, general superintendent of the Norfolk & Southern Railway, was on the scene of the trouble between the company and the Goldsboro Traction Company today and after a full conference this afternoon with Mr. E. T. Oliver, general manager of the Traction Company, it was agreed that the street car crossing is to be restored at once, and traffic will be resumed to East Goldsboro tomorrow afternoon.

INFANTRY WINS MATCH.

Took National Contest at Camp Perry. The Fifteen Leaders.

Camp Perry, O., Aug. 24.—The rifle team representing the United States Infantry today won the National match by the score of 3,186. The cavalry was second and a new National Guard winner (Iowa) landed third and the Navy fourth.

These four teams get respectively the National trophy, and \$450, \$350, \$300 and \$250.

The 15 leaders who in 1911 will compose class "A" rank as follows: United States Infantry 3,186; United States Cavalry 3,115; Iowa, 3,112; United States Navy, 3,111; United States Artillery, 3,107; Massachusetts 3,105; Wisconsin 3,101; Colorado 3,086; Michigan 3,066; New York 3,052; Ohio 3,044; Minnesota 2,021; District of Columbia 3,020; Texas 3,019; Oklahoma 2,994.

The United States Marine Corps lost its entire skirmish score of 1,123 by action of the executive officer, Col. R. K. Evans, 28th United States Infantry, because it broke the rule prohibiting coaching from behind the firing line. The marine score as made was 3,116, which would have put them second in view of the fact that the navy was penalized. They are now 42nd.

The Navy was penalized 21 points because Ensign Vossler did not attempt to fire his five shots on the first appearance of his target. These 21 points would have given the Navy second place with a score of 3,132.

The official bulletin announcing the prize winners in classes "B" and "C" had not been issued late tonight, but the rank of the teams indicates that Minnesota wins the Hilton trophy and \$350 in class "B"; that District of Columbia gets the second prize, \$250; Texas the third, \$225; and Oklahoma the fourth, \$200. And that in class "C" Kansas takes the bronze soldier of Marathon and \$300; Arizona the second prize \$200; Utah the third, \$175, and North Dakota the fourth, \$150.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—The ministry of war has placed an order for artillery amounting to \$1,450,000 with the Creusot Works in France. Many members of the Duma are displeased that the contract will go to France because the appropriation was voted with the understanding that it would be expended in Russia.

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THE SAPPHIRE COUNTRY.

Annual Regatta at Fairfield Inn Held on Saturday.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Sapphire, N. C., Aug. 22.—The annual regatta at Fairfield Inn, was held Saturday afternoon. The weather was ideal—no breeze whatsoever stirring. No one of the many contestants made a poor showing.

The winners of the singles were Miss Emma Storm, New York, and Mr. L. A. Wye, Fernandina, Fla. Each received a beautiful loving cup.

The singles for ladies was won by Miss Emma Storm, of New York. The singles for gentlemen were won by Mr. L. A. Wye, of Fernandina, Fla. The doubles—mixed, were won by Miss Storm and Mr. W. C. Alexander, of New York.

The doubles—Gentlemen—were won by Finlayson and Payne, of Norfolk. Jackson and Wilkinson led by four lengths—disqualified.

The judges were Col. N. A. McLean, Lumberton; Mr. Irving Comes, New York, and Mr. M. W. Dabney, Vicksburg, Miss; Referee, H. H. Hevenor, New York; Starter, C. W. Clark, Clarkdale, Miss.

This very enjoyable day was brought to a close by a fancy dress Poudre Ball in the evening.

The Inn is enjoying a very prosperous season this year, the house being full at present.

ARBITRATION LAST RESORT.

Dispute Between Hay Association and Tennessee Railroads.

Sandusky, O., Aug. 24.—The dispute between the National Hay Association and railroads operating in Tennessee over alleged exorbitant shipping rates will be settled by arbitration. This decision was reached today at a conference between the railway lines and the executive committee of the Hay Association. The association is holding its annual convention here. The complaint was registered some time ago by the Memphis Board of Trade.

The arbitrators will be composed of railway men and hay dealers to be appointed by the Association's new president, who will be elected tomorrow.

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48	42-82	48-80	via Petersburg.	*Daily	80-49	83-41	49
7:30am	7:00pm	7:40am	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar.	6:15pm	6:40am	6:15pm
11:30am	11:00pm	11:40am	Lv. Goldsboro	Ar.	10:30pm	10:40am	10:30pm
1:15pm	1:45pm	1:15pm	Lv. Rocky Mount	Ar.	12:35pm	1:00pm	12:35pm
2:15pm	2:45pm	2:15pm	Lv. Weldon	Ar.	1:35pm	1:40pm	1:35pm
4:00pm	4:30pm	4:00pm	Lv. Petersburg	Ar.	3:15pm	3:20pm	3:15pm
6:00pm	6:30pm	6:00pm	Lv. Norfolk	Ar.	5:00pm	5:05pm	5:00pm
8:00am	8:30am	8:00am	Lv. Richmond	Ar.	7:15am	7:20am	7:15am
10:00am	10:30am	10:00am	Lv. Washington	Ar.	9:15am	9:20am	9:15am
12:00pm	12:30pm	12:00pm	Lv. Baltimore	Ar.	11:15am	11:20am	11:15am
1:35pm	2:00pm	1:35pm	Lv. West Philadelphia	Ar.	12:15pm	12:20pm	12:15pm
2:15pm	2:40pm	2:15pm	Lv. NEW YORK	Ar.	1:25pm	1:30pm	1:25pm

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55-80	51-80	*Daily	82-50	80-54
7:15pm	7:35pm	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar. 12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	7:40am	Lv. Florence	Ar. 8:05pm	9:30am
11:25pm	1:25pm	Lv. Charleston	Ar. 5:30pm	5:30am
12:45pm	2:45pm	Lv. Savannah	Ar. 1:35pm	1:40pm
11:55am	2:00am	Lv. Albany	Ar. 1:25am	1:50pm
8:40am	1:45am	Lv. Thomasville	Ar. 2:35pm	2:00pm
5:50pm	8:00am	Lv. Montgomery	Ar. 6:50pm	6:00am
6:30am	7:15am	Lv. JACKSONVILLE	Ar. 8:15am	8:40pm
8:00pm	8:15pm	Lv. Sanford, Fla.	Ar. 2:10pm	2:50pm
1:00pm	1:15pm	Lv. TAMPA	Ar. 5:00pm	10:30am
8:55pm	9:00pm	Lv. ST. PETERSBURG	Ar. 1:45pm	4:55pm
10:20pm	10:30pm	Lv. FORT MYERS	Ar. 5:30pm	6:45am

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At 10:30	At the previous sign.		*Daily	82-50	80-54
65	51				
7:15pm	7:35pm	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	7:45pm	Lv. Florence	Ar.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	1:20pm	Lv. Sunter	Ar.	6:35pm	7:40am
12:45pm	2:45pm	Lv. COLEMAN	Ar.	4:10pm	6:50am
11:55am	2:00pm	Lv. AUGUSTA	Ar.	2:30pm	1:50pm
8:40am	1:45pm	Lv. Columbia	Ar.	2:30pm	6:00am
5:50pm	8:00am	Lv. Hendersonville	Ar.	8:05pm	9:50pm
6:30am	7:15pm	Lv. Jacksonville	Ar.	2:10pm	2:50pm
8:00pm	8:15pm	Lv. Knoxville	Ar.	1:45pm	6:30am
10:20pm	10:30pm	Lv. Louisville	Ar.	5:30pm	8:00am
8:00pm	8:15pm	Lv. CINCINNATI	Ar.	7:10pm	8:10pm

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51-SLEEPING CARS Asheville to Columbia and Columbia to Wilmington.

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Sleeping car leaving Wilmington 5:35 A. M. will be open to receive passengers at 10:00 P. M.

57	51-57	55	*Daily	Daily except Sunday.	54	98-50	58
7:30pm	7:35pm	7:15pm	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar.	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20pm	5:00pm	Lv. CHADBOURN	Ar.	11:40am	11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am	5:00pm	Lv. CHADBOURN	Ar.	5:00pm	4:10am	4:10am
12:45pm	1:30pm	5:00pm	Lv. CONWAY	Ar.	4:10pm	4:10pm	4:10pm
11:30pm	1:30pm	5:00pm	Lv. KNOXVILLE	Ar.	4:10pm	4:10pm	4:10pm
11:30pm	1:30pm	5:00pm	Lv. NEWBERN, N. C.	Ar.	4:10pm	4:10pm	4:10pm

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Thursday, August 25th, 1910.

Ex-Vice President Fairbanks is glad
now he always knew how to stay in
his place.

Vice President Sherman should
know that he has been violating the
rule of the Vice Presidency. A Vice
President is supposed to be a bump
on the log and keep in his place.

By the way, in that matter threaten-
ing a breach between Taft and Roose-
velt there is a fine opportunity to try
another candidate for membership in
the Ananias Club.

We shall soon understand where
Col. Roosevelt stands if he talks as
plainly as he did near Utica, N. Y., on
Tuesday when he declared himself for
the map whom Vice President Sher-
man is endeavoring to defeat.

Says the Baltimore Sun: "It may
be that Mr. Roosevelt's trip is one
purely for pleasure and education." If
President Taft could be made to
believe that he would knock off more
sleep than has been coming to him
lately.

President Taft ultimately must
have arrived at the conclusion that he
owed more to ex-President Roosevelt
than he did to Vice President Sher-
man. He must have remembered who
it was that forced his nomination for
President upon the Republican party.

Good roads pay and whatever pays
is worth having. It is always a good
idea to spend money for something
that will return the money with inter-
est. Good roads constitute that kind
of an investment. No money spent in
the actual work of building modern
highways can possibly be wasted.

The New Orleans Picayune, the
South's great cotton authority, says
there has been steady improvement in
the prospect for the growing cotton
crop in all parts of the Cotton Belt ex-
cept in central and southern Texas
where the crop has been damaged by
drought. Altogether, a liberal cotton
crop is promised, while the South will
reap a bumper corn crop.

Congressman Sibley, who spent for-
ty-odd thousand dollars to secure his
re-nomination in a Pennsylvania dis-
trict, recently decided to throw up the
nomination because he "has a weak
heart." It now turns out that he is
under arrest for debauching voters in
his district. He must have mistaken
the loss of nerve for weak heart. All
men like Sibley should be in the peni-
tentiary instead of in Congress.

The idea of making Speaker Cannon
take a back seat in this campaign be-
cause of his record and reputation as
a politician has already resolved itself
into a ridiculous proposition. Uncle
Joe acquired his greatness for what he
has done along his line, for if he had
not served the Republican party ex-
actly as it wanted him to serve it we
never would have heard of such a po-
litical character as the Czar of the
House. If Uncle Joe dies suddenly
it will be because he died laughing up
his sleeve at the idea of getting rid of
him for what the Republican party has
been doing to the people.

The Hon. S. S. McNinch, Republican
nominee for Congress in the Charlotte
district, is supporting Aldrichism and
urging the voters of the Ninth Dis-
trict to vote for a high protective tar-
iff. The people of that district prob-
ably are aware that the McNinch
idea on the question is "canned." Re-
publican insurgents all over the coun-
try have found that out and certain-
ly the common sense people in the
Ninth District have also caught on to
the fact. It certainly would be a good
joke on them if they permit a man of
McNinch's calibre to persuade them
that what they want is plenty of Al-
drichism.

ROOSEVELT IN POLITICS.

The present campaign has been not-
able in the respect that the nation-
wide dissensions. In the Republican
party have overshadowed the Demo-
cratic programme for the November
elections. Republican insurgency in
many States, and dissensions even
reaching to the two most prominent
figures in the Republican party, have
monopolized the public attention from
the Atlantic to the Pacific. Hardly
does one dramatic feature of the Re-
publican disruption disappear from
the stage till another is on.

For the past week interest has been
at great tension over the too appar-
ent breach between President Taft
and ex-President Roosevelt, with Vice
President Sherman as the leading
promoter of the breach. We have
seen the President explaining matters
and practically apologizing to the ex-
President and repudiating the action
in which the Vice President was the
most prominent figure. The scene
closes with President Taft exposing
the trickery of the New York Republi-
can "organization" by which it was
sought to implicate President Taft in
a movement to make Vice President
Sherman temporary chairman of the
Republican State convention and make
Taft party to a plot to take that honor
from Colonel Roosevelt. President
Taft's explanation discredits Vice
President Sherman, and the climax is
that ex-President Roosevelt washes
his hands of Vice President Sherman.
He not only refused at the last mo-
ment to have a conference with Sher-
man, but as soon as Col. Roosevelt
started out on his speaking tour on
Tuesday he invaded Sherman's home
city and advocated the election of
State Senator Davenport, whose de-
feat Sherman is endeavoring to en-
compass. That is the first strike at
Sherman with the Rough Rider's "big
stick."

President Taft's explanation, in or-
der to set himself right with ex-Presi-
dent Roosevelt, certainly shifts the
blame to the shoulders of Vice Presi-
dent Sherman for engaging in a bold
effort on the part of the New York
Republican organization to eliminate
Roosevelt. It would, therefore, seem
to shift the breach from Taft and
Roosevelt to Taft and Sherman, and
with credentials like he has lately
gathered we should think campaign
speeches by Sherman a matter of in-
difference to North Carolinians who
follow an entirely different class of
statesmen. We should think that
Sherman speeches in North Carolina
would be regarded as a waste of time
and unbecoming.

In the meantime, ex-President
Roosevelt is now on the third day of
his pilgrimage from the East to the
West. His tour will embrace 5,493
miles, principally through the West
and Middle West. He has 14 set
speeches on his programme, but prob-
ably will make a few scattering re-
marks at hundreds of places. He will
make numerous speeches from the
rear platform of his car, and will be
accompanied by 17 newspaper men
who are traveling in a car following
up his movements. The Colonel is
making them all sit up and take no-
tice. What does he mean? His trip
is regarded as of political significance
and no doubt President Taft wishes
he would stay at home and not give
him so much trouble in staying awake
at nights trying to divine what Roose-
velt has up his sleeve.

TAFT'S KEYNOTE.

President Taft's "keynote for the
coming campaign" came tinkling over
the wires to a gaping nation on Wed-
nesday night. The associated press
dispatches from Beverly, in yester-
day's Star, pretty fully expressed the
position which the President is to take
in this campaign. What boots it, how-
ever, if he does take a position and
sounds a keynote? We have seen him
take a position and sound a keynote
before, and nothing came of it.

In the campaign of 1908 President
Taft, then Candidate Taft, with evi-
dent spirit of sincerity made certain
campaign pledges which he did not
lose any flesh in carrying out and
which his Republican Congress would
not have carried out had he paved
up the earth in his efforts to fulfill
his positive pledges to the people.
What does a President's promises and
pledges amount to anyhow, with a Re-
publican Congress to do what it pleas-
es and not as he says? Even were the
President sincere now, the people trust-
ed him once and he failed them. Even
should he mean everything he pro-
poses now, the people of this coun-
try need not expect any fulfillment of
promises or pledges that he might
make if it is left to a Republican Con-
gress to fulfill those promises and
pledges. If President Taft means what
he says the best thing he can do in
order to assure the fulfillment of his
pledges is to use all the influence in
his power to secure either an insur-
gent or a Democratic Congress. Cer-
tainly no importance should be at-
tached to his keynote if it is to be left
to a stand-pat Congress to raise the tune.

In his keynote, as a matter of
course, and as a matter of course
again, the President "promises" fur-
ther revision of the tariff and will sug-
gest to Congress that "individual
schedules in the tariff system be tak-
en up separately and be disposed of
on a scientific basis." Thunder! We
thought that was what the last Con-
gress intended to do and we certainly

cannot trust them to work out any of
those protection schedules on the kind
of "scientific basis" upon which a
stand-pat Congress operates and al-
ways will operate in spite of any Presi-
dent's promises or pledges.

The Beverly dispatch referring to
the President's "keynote" says, "Po-
litical observers regard this move as
about the shrewdest that has been
made during the present administra-
tion." "Screwdest" nothing! The
people are tired of shrewdness, trick-
ery, deception and prodigal protection.
They want a President and a Congress
who will administer the affairs of this
country for the benefit of the people
and not for the protected classes.

The insurgents won in Nicaragua.
If President Taft is superstitious he
will regard that as a bad omen.

No doubt, if President Taft had his
way he would also throw out hints
from Beverly that Vice President
Sherman is also one of the fellows
who "must go" along with the other
undesirables.

Mahomet made the mountain come
to him. It was also the President
who had to come to the ex-President
to make a Nationally humiliating ex-
planation to clear his skirts in a mat-
ter involving a contemptible political
transaction.

CURRENT COMMENT.

But a few short years ago, Roose-
velt was sending Sherman to urge
Harriman to "loosen up" for the Re-
publican campaign fund.—Albany
Argus.

Morehead has withdrawn from the
race for Congress in North Carolina.
This ought to mean the unanimous
election of Major Charles M. Stedman.
Nothing ever so became Morehead as
his getting out of this race, and every-
body in North Carolina ought to thank
him for it. It is hoped now that he
will vote for Stedman and do all he
can to elect him. That would be the
highest tribute he could pay to one
of the best men in the State.—Rich-
mond Times-Dispatch.

The State Democratic Executive
committee meets in Raleigh tomor-
row night to hear the report of the
special committee appointed to in-
vestigate the tangle in the Sixth district.
Godwin at first declined to agree to
anything that might be done, but he
changed his mind and came in. The
evidence taken at the hearing is be-
ing sent to members of the commit-
tee that they may inform themselves
to some extent before the hearing.
The special committee is composed
of mighty good men and likely what
they recommend will be adopted by
the committee in full.—Greensboro
Record, Aug. 23.

There is some speculation as to the
amount of money Chairman Morehead
will spend in the coming campaign.
He is credited with being well-to-do
in this world's goods. This may be
true, but the man who expects him
to "burst open the head of his barrel
to go to the most good. The old rou-
nders who have been accustomed to
handling the "stuff" will not get a
look in. The old plan of "scattering"
the money was to give a worker \$25;
he generally spent about five and put
the other in his pocket. This won't
work this time; it didn't work the
last time.—Greensboro Record.

The convention of the Atlantic
Deepwater Waterways Association, Aug.
31st, Sept. 3rd, at Providence, R. I.,
looks like a far away trip, but there
are matters that may and should
come before this convention that are
of great commercial importance to
Newbern's trade interests, so that
representatives at the convention
would prove of vital help. September
6th the War Department will give
a hearing at Norfolk in order to hear
from parties in the matter of a free
canal connecting Virginia and North
Carolina. That old issue, which can-
nel, the Dismal Swamp or the Albemarle
and Chesapeake, shall the government
purchase and open up their most nec-
essary water highway between these
States, is again up, and if left to pri-
vate interests there never will be a
free canal. There is no doubt a mat-
ter of equity in this matter of canal
purchase, for the canal not taken can-
not be kept up and operated while
the government runs a canal. The
equity in the matter would be the
purchase by the government of both
canals, but not at the figures of
the owners, unless it can be shown
that these are just. A commission
could easily arrive at the price of
each canal, and so while it involves
more money, yet it treats justly in
not confiscating, or rendering unten-
able the canal not purchased. Even
more, it brings the water highway
into life and makes the project a cer-
tain go, instead of keeping it tangled
up in convention meetings, with no
results. The people on both sides of
these canals want immediate action,
and every month's delay means loss
to Norfolk on its side, and to the
cities on the Carolina side, Newbern
for one, is losing many thousands an-
nually by this waterway being closed
up. Let the engineers recommend the
purchase of both canals, at figures
that are just, and let this waterway
be opened.—Newbern Journal.

We have no doubt that Tuesday
morning's breakfast sent a greater
number of American citizens to their
work in disgust of their country than
any morning's revelation had served
to do in a decade. Whatever the faults
or virtues of the incumbent of the
highest office in the land, the Ameri-
can people as a whole expect, and to
have the right to expect, that he shall
during his incumbency feel the weight
and the responsibility of his office
to the people. They expect that he

shall wear the dignity which they
have conferred in dignity. However
they may attack his policies, and how-
ever much they may doubt the wis-
dom of his course, the American peo-
ple expect of their President that
he shall be conscious of them as a
people. In the eyes of the world the
President is the people. When the
President disgraces himself, he not
only betrays his office, but he casts
reproach upon the people who be-
stow the office. For these reasons
thinking men deplored during the
terms of President Roosevelt the un-
seemly spats which he indulged with
private individuals. The "lie" comes
with poor grace from a man heeded
about from any sort of effective resis-
tance. Power makes itself ridiculous
when it engages in petty controversy.
But however unseemly may have
been the forgetfulness of the res-
traints of office in Roosevelt, the
humiliation of such an action is not
to be compared in intensity with that
following upon a bending of the ex-
ecutive knee to private demand. If
it needs be that the White House
be entangled in the relation of serf
and tyrant, the country will breathe
easier if it harbor the tyrant instead
of the serf. When President Taft,
therefore, undertook to "bend the
pregnant hinges of the knee" to Theo-
dore Roosevelt, the inevitable Ameri-
can thought was that the White
House was afraid; that the White
House had forgotten its duty to the
country in alarm for its own and its
party's safety; that the man elected
to be President was content to con-
sider himself a private servant.—Rich-
mond Virginian.

FROM "LITTLE" WASHINGTON.

Mercantile Changes—Asphalt Paving
Arrives—Other News Notes.
(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., Aug. 24.—Let-
ters of incorporation have recently
been granted the firm of Spence Bros.,
of this city, by the Secretary of State.
They will deal in general merchan-
dise at the same place where the old
firm has been located. The authorized
capital is \$75,000, but they will be-
gin business with a paid in capital
of \$25,000. Mr. G. A. Spence, Walter
B. Waters and Claudia A. Waters are
the incorporators. The large store of
Spencer Bros. is now being thorough-
ly overhauled and many improve-
ments such as plate glass windows,
etc., are being made.

The new furniture and fixtures of
the Palace Barber Shop, of this city,
arrived a few days ago and have been
installed, and Washington can now
boast of one of the finest and most
up to date white barber shops in the
State.

The asphalt paving material to be
placed on the city streets arrived a
few days ago; also the traction steam
rollers of the paving company, and
it is understood the work of paving
will be commenced in a few days and
rapidly pushed forward to completion.
The Barber Asphalt Company, of Phil-
adelphia, have the contract to do
the paving.

The firm of Ellison Bros. of this
city, wholesale grocers, have recently
moved to the large brick building of
the Bailey Supply Company, on Main
street, and will move their entire
stock of goods into the new quarters
about the first of September.

AFFAIRS AT LUMBERTON.

Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jones
—Other News Items There.
(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 24.—The fol-
lowing invitation was received by
friends here today: "Mr. and Mrs.
Nehemiah Henry Jones request the
pleasure of your company on the fif-
tieth anniversary of their marriage
Friday afternoon, September the six-
teenth, from three to six o'clock, Lum-
berton, North Carolina. Nehemiah
Henry Jones, Emily Rhodes." Mr. and
Mrs. Jones are among Lumberton's
most highly esteemed old people and it
is needless to say that a large cir-
cle of friends hope they may be spar-
ed to celebrate many more marriage
anniversaries. They have resided in
Lumberton most of the time since
their marriage, having moved here
in the sixties. The Morning Star has
been a daily visitor in their home
since its first issue, and has long
been regarded as a member of the
family. Long live Mr. and Mrs. Jones.
Sheriff McNeill brought a fine
Maxton Monday night Garfield Com-
bell, colored, charged with stealing a
cow and calf and breaking into a
store and helping himself to what
ever he desired. Garfield did not deny
the charges and of course expects to
spend the Winter on the public
roads. The Court House square has
been cleaned up and put in fine shape
for the Educational Rally, which is
to be held Friday.

MADRIZ AT HONDURAS.

Wife and Family at Salvador—Quiet
in Nicaragua.

Acajapa, Salvador, Aug. 24.—The
wife and family of former President
Madriz, of Nicaragua, arrived here
today. Dr. Madriz and his lieutenants,
who fled from Managua Sunday night,
still remain at Amapala, Honduras.

Washington, Aug. 24.—A telegram
under date of yesterday was received
at the State Department today from
Commodore Halstead, of the United
States steamship Vicksburg at Corin-
th, saying that quiet prevails at Man-
agua and Leon.

FELL FROM TRAIN.

Negro Youth From Fayetteville Lost
His Life at Henderson.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 24.—Arthur
Farmer, an 18-year-old negro youth
of Fayetteville, fell from the door of
the refreshment car of an excursion
train on the way to Norfolk, Va., the
train being near Henderson at the
time, and was instantly killed yester-
day morning. His body was recover-
ed and brought here today.

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ANNEXATION OF KOREA.

Japan Communicates Text of Conven-
tion to the Powers.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Baron Uchi-
da, Japanese ambassador to the United
States, came to Washington today
from Buena Vista Springs, Pa., where
he is spending the Summer, for a con-
ference with Acting Secretary Wilson,
of the State Department. While both
the ambassador and the Secretary de-
clined to discuss the object of the
visit, it is believed that the Baron
bore a copy of the text of the con-
vention reported to have been con-
cluded between Japan and Korea for
the Japanese control of the "Hermit
Kingdom" and a message from the
Japanese government to the United
States bearing on the purpose of the
Mikado in taking this step. If the
State Department has received a copy
of the text, however, Mr. Wilson de-
clined to make it public at this time,
pending authorization from Tokio.

The United States has a number
of treaties with Korea, which would
be affected by the proposed control
of Korea by Japan and negotiations
are expected to be opened shortly be-
tween the two governments looking
to an agreement on the status of these
instruments.

Tokio, Aug. 24.—The text of the
convention under which Korea is an-
nexed to Japan was communicated at
11 o'clock this morning to the repre-
sentatives of the powers. The docu-
ment which according to now estab-
lished facts was signed August 22nd,
will be effective when officially pro-
mulgated. This will occur, according
to some of the ministers, August 29th
or August 30th when the independent
existence of the "hermit kingdom,"
the struggle for whose control started
the Russo-Japanese war, will cease.
Baron Hirata, minister of the interior,
summoned the proprietors of all the
Japanese newspapers to his cabinet
today and requested them to publish
no unauthorized information regard-
ing the annexation in Korea. He point-
ed out that such publication under
existing conditions would only make
the task of the Japanese government
in carrying out the annexation more
difficult. The newspapers agreed to
his wishes and nothing regarding the
annexation beyond official statements
will therefore be published here be-
fore the publication of the promulga-
tion of the convention.

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One lot tan, patent, and gun metal Shuffert, were \$1.95, now 98c

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One lot large Misses' tan Oxfords, were \$2.00, now \$1.39
One lot ladies' several styles, black, were \$3.00, now \$1.45
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ANOTHER ANNEX FOR HOTEL

Fifty Rooms to be Added to Tarrymore Before Beginning of Next Season—Will Build Six Cottages.

Announcement was made yesterday morning by Mr. W. J. Moore, the popular manager of Tarrymore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, that the company owning and conducting the hotel would increase the accommodations before the opening of the next season by the erection of 50 additional rooms on the ocean side of the present commodious structure.

He also announced that six handsome and conveniently arranged cottages would be erected on his property in front of the hotel and they will be conducted in connection with the hotel. Already one of these cottages has been rented for the season to a lady living in the West.

The addition to the hotel is made necessary on account of the increased number of pleasure and health seekers who go annually to the delightful resort. Notwithstanding the addition of 50 rooms early this year the hotel has been crowded to its capacity a greater portion of the season and there were times when many more rooms could have been utilized. Mr. Moore expects the 1911 season to be a still bigger and better one than this season and for that reason has already begun plans for enlarging the hotel to meet the demands that are certain to be made upon it next year.

The second annex to the hotel and the cottages will be built of timber cut from Mr. Moore's large plantation in Pender county, near the tract where the lumber for the main portion of the hotel was secured. The addition will be three stories high and will be equipped with all the modern conveniences.

Mr. Moore also stated that he would like to become interested in a new hotel for Wilmington to be erected some time during the year. He feels that another first-class hotel in Wilmington would not only be a paying investment for the stockholders, but that it is needed to take care of the ever increasing number of people who visit this growing city. He said that if the Chamber of Commerce would take stock to the amount of \$60,000 he would put in \$40,000 and work would be commenced in a short time on a new \$100,000 hotel in this city.

Senator Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, who was guest at the hotel, during his visit here for the Junior Order meeting, was so well pleased with the management of the hotel and with Wrightsville Beach as the summer resort of the South, that he practically engaged accommodations at the hotel for his family next season. Senator Overman left on the northbound Coast Line train yesterday morning for his home in Salisbury.

SPECIAL MEETING TODAY.

Chamber of Commerce May Endorse Beach Hotel Proposition.

Following a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday a special meeting was called for today at noon for the purpose of discussing the proposition for a new hotel on Wrightsville Beach and endorsing same if it is deemed advisable.

The details in connection with the proposed new hotel have been previously given in this paper, but the favorable action taken today it will be an advanced step toward carrying out the project. An option has been secured on the property from the Brezeland cottage down to Mrs. W. M. Parsley's cottage and it is understood that the promoters have been very much gratified with the responses to subscriptions for stock. The matter is one of much importance and a full attendance is desired. The call for the special meeting was issued yesterday by President J. A. Taylor and Secretary J. A. McGeachy.

"THE JUDGES" GLEE CLUB.

Will Attend Lawn Party at Greenville Sound Tonight.

"Judge" Bornemann's Glee Club yesterday morning received from the "Ladies" Aid Society of the Dock Street Christian Church an invitation to attend as a musical organization the lawn party to be given tonight by the ladies at the home of Mr. A. W. Pate, Greenville Sound. Justice Bornemann, director of the club, once accepted the invitation and issued a call for the members of the organization to meet at corner Front and Princess streets at 8 o'clock tonight to attend the event. As the members of the club will be entertained as the guests of honor, they will be furnished transportation to and from Greenville Sound. All members of the club are urged to be at the junction at the appointed hour—8 o'clock tonight.

WRIGHTSBORO TRUCKERS.

Enjoyable Picnic Yesterday at Masonboro—Several Addresses.

Members of the Wrightsboro Truckers' Association, their families and friends went for an enjoyable picnic yesterday at Smith's Landing, on Masonboro Sound. Although the weather was not favorable all day, those who went for the outing had a most enjoyable day. After dinner, which was sumptuous and embraced not only many things "brought from home" but delicacies of the sea, the crowd gathered in the grove and listened to addresses by Col. W. A. Lineker, Mr. W. D. Rhodes, Mr. M. F. Beasley and others. They talked along general cooperative lines and were heard with much interest.

The Recorder's Court.

The Recorder's court was of short duration yesterday morning, there being only one case set for trial, and the session was presided over by Substitute Recorder George Harris in the absence from the city of Recorder Furlong who went to Raleigh to attend the meeting last night of the State Democratic Executive Committee, of which he is a member. The lone defendant was Ernest Brown, colored, charged with carrying concealed weapons. He was convicted and fined \$25 and costs, which had not been paid yesterday afternoon. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., appeared for the defendant.

MR. C. E. SCHERER INJURED

Thrown From His Buggy Yesterday Morning When Vehicle Collided With Cart—Collar Bone Probably Broken.

Mr. C. E. Scherer, who conducts a store at corner of Eighth and Swan streets, was painfully, though not seriously, injured about 10 o'clock yesterday morning when his buggy collided with a cart near corner of Fifth and Campbell streets. Mr. Scherer was thrown from his vehicle and his head is thought to have struck the cart in his descent to the pavement, as he received a severe gash over one of his eyes, and it is feared that his collar bone is broken, as he received a number of bruises.

Mr. Scherer started down town and a colored man was in the buggy with him. From best information obtainable Mr. Scherer was driving rather rapidly and when near corner of Fifth and Campbell his vehicle and a cart loaded with wooden blocks collided. Mr. Scherer was thrown into the air and over toward the cart. The negro, it seems, was able to stay in the buggy and was uninjured, as the horse stopped almost by the time the buggy struck the cart.

The ambulance was hurriedly called and Mr. Scherer was taken to the Jackson Memorial Hospital, where he is being given attention. It has not yet been determined whether his collar bone is broken. It was stated at the institution last night that Mr. Scherer will probably be able to be removed to his home on North Eighth street this morning.

WHERE IS DR. KAHN?

Announced Last Week That He Had Come to Wilmington to Locate.

Several Wilmington people would like to know the whereabouts of one Dr. Leo W. Kahn, who blew into town last week, announced himself an "M. D." of education in some of the most celebrated universities of Europe and stated that he would locate here and do some hospital work in connection with the James Walker Memorial Hospital. Dr. Kahn acted as his own press agent and was not averse to talking about himself. At the newspaper offices, he announced himself a relative of some of the best families in Wilmington and called on a number of Wilmington Jewish people. At the store of J. M. Solky & Co., he presented a check for \$200 desiring that it be cashed. Mr. Solky, however, had been up against the game before and told the stranger that he had no doubt but that he was all right, but the best he could do would be to place the check in the bank for collection. It took that course, the Doctor in the meantime leaving for parts unknown. Yesterday the check, like the proverbial cat, came back with the endorsement that no such person was known to the bank and that he had never deposited any money with them. The bank is at Valdosta, Ga. The stranger claimed kinship with a Mrs. Kaminiski and it is alleged that he secured a small amount of money from her and that he had arranged for some clothing at one of the local stores. There may be others. In the meantime, the question is "Where is Dr. Kahn?" He has not been seen or heard of at the hospital, where it is stated his announcement with reference to that institution was wholly without warrant.

FLAGMAN SAVES CONDUCTOR.

W. R. Johnson Rescued After Battle With Undertow at Beach.

The following account of a near drowning, said to have occurred at Wrightsville Beach Tuesday morning, was received from the Wilmington correspondence of the Columbia State yesterday morning and will be read with interest, because very few persons on the beach have ever heard of the occurrence.

"Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 23.—W. R. Johnson, a conductor on a Coast Line passenger train, narrowly escaped drowning this morning while surfing bathing at Wrightsville Beach.

Mr. Johnson was caught by the undertow and carried some distance from shore. His life was probably saved by the timely assistance rendered him by J. D. Austin, Jr., the flagman on Conductor Johnson's train.

"Mr. Austin reached Mr. Johnson just as the last bit of his strength was ebbing from his battle with the tide. With Mr. Austin's assistance he managed to make the beach. Both men were exhausted after their struggle.

"Conductor Johnson was able to come out on his run to Columbia on Atlantic Coast Line train No. 55. Mr. Austin, who has many friends here, was heartily praised for his heroism."

BOWLING AT BRIGADE.

Company B in Lead by 39 Points After Last Night's Game.

The second series of three games in the very interesting bowling tournament now in progress between companies of the Boys' Brigade left Company B 39 points in the lead for the three games thus far played, which is very close. Company B won last night with a score of 2,067 for the three games while Company A was a close second with 2,001. The highest individual score for one game was by Albert Elmer 183 while the highest individual average for the three games is by Louis Davis, 155. The team averages now are as follows: Company B 689, Company A 667. The tournament is proving a source of much interest for Brigade members and they are playing a game worthy of professionals.

The New Bonds

If you have North Carolina Four Per Cent Bonds, due July 1st, 1916, send them to us for payment or exchange for the new issue. We purchased \$150,000.00 of the new Bonds, which are free of all taxes, and being a State depository are prepared to take up the maturing Bonds.

SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

Prompt Payment of Policy.

Mr. B. T. Hopkins, superintendent of the Wilmington agency of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, yesterday received a check for \$1,000 and made the proper disposal of the same, the amount being the amount of the policy carried in the company by the late Mr. Chas. D. Morrill. Proof of claim was forwarded from the Wilmington office only Monday, so that the settlement is probably a record breaker. The Virginia has a reputation for quick and prompt payment and never seeking to evade any just claim upon its treasury.

Thanks to Engineer Branch.

Annie Vauze Pullen, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Pullen, of Burgaw, was the name of the child who was snatched from the railroad track at Burgaw Tuesday morning by Engineer D. R. Branch, just in time to save the little one's life as told in yesterday's Star. Mr. and Mrs. Pullen are deeply grateful to the engineer for his heroic action and desire that thanks be publicly expressed to him through the columns of The Star.

IRREGULARITIES CHARGED.

Robeson Commissioners Cited Before Magistrate—Teachers' Institute.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 24.—Members of the Board of County Commissioners of Robeson were here today to answer charges preferred against them some days ago in the matter of some little irregularity, but the case was postponed until next Monday. The Commissioners are represented by County Attorney E. J. Britt and Mr. R. C. Lawrence, and Mr. David Wishart represents the prosecution. It is understood that Mr. D. J. Lewis, of Whiteville, will assist the prosecution when the case comes up Monday, and Col. N. A. McLean will appear with the attorneys for the Commissioners. Justice Jno. A. Rowland will hear the case.

County Superintendent of Education Ragsdale, of Pitt county, addressed the Teachers' Institute here yesterday, his subject being "the great importance of teachers preparing themselves to meet the new era of teaching." Supt. Ragsdale addressed both the white and colored teachers, addressing the white teachers in the morning at the graded school building, and the colored teachers in the afternoon at the colored normal school building.

Dr. C. F. Stroindler, who is sent out by the State Department of Health, addressed the teachers today on the hook worm and its eradication, and other diseases.

All of the speakers who have visited the institute during its session here have been loud in their praises of the Robeson county teachers, declaring they are among the very best they have ever seen, being second to none. Robeson county people knew that already, but like to be told of it by such competent judges from outside the county.

Col. and Mrs. N. A. McLean and children returned from the mountains last night where they went some days ago in the hope that the trip would be beneficial to Col. McLean, who had been sick of fever. Friends are glad to know that the trip was most beneficial one for the Colonel as he is greatly improved, and is now the picture of good health.

PLAYERS ARE MERCHANDISE.

Extraordinary Ruling Made by Baseball Commission in Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Ball players under the present system of organized baseball can rightfully be classed as merchandise. Under a ruling the board of review yesterday decided that the Chicago American League team is worth \$1,981, and the Chicago Nationals were estimated at a trifle less than \$1,500.

Charles A. Comiskey, owner of the Americans, filed a personal security with the assessor of this year declaring that the South Side team was worth \$2,547. He itemized it as follows: \$1,981 merchandise, \$105 furniture and \$461, he figured, was coming to him from various persons.

Both assessments were confirmed by the board of review.

STOP GIVING AWAY MILK.

Opposition of Scientists Causes Action by Nathan Straus.

New York, Aug. 24.—A cable message received tonight from Nathan Straus, the millionaire philanthropist, announces that next year he will abandon his distribution of pasteurized milk in New York.

Mr. Straus is in Berlin where recently he opened a milk depot similar to those in New York. He has maintained 17 stations in New York City selling pasteurized milk by the glass at one cent besides giving free bottled milk for the needy babies.

Scientists are divided in value of the pasteurized product, and Straus has met with such opposition from the more radical of those who do not share his views that he has decided to discontinue the charity.

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Newark, N. J., Aug. 24.—Wm. Brown Glasby, chief of police of Newark from 1868 until 1872, who served as a body guard for Abraham Lincoln on the trip from New York to Washington when Lincoln first took the oath of office, died suddenly at his home tonight. He was 81 years old.

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LUMBERMEN FIGHT RATES.

War on Railroads May be Nation-Wide in Its Scope.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24.—What may become a nation-wide fight against increases in freight rates and agitation by carrier officials was started at a conference of nearly 200 Southern lumbermen here today. They assembled to protest against the action of the trunk line railroads in cutting them off from divisions of rates that have heretofore been in effect.

Luther M. Walter, of Chicago, an attorney for the Interstate Commerce Commission advised the lumbermen to take their cases before the Interstate Commerce Commission and ask that the new tariffs which will go into effect September 24th be held up pending investigation.

GAYNOR ALMOST WELL.

Resumes Regular Diet of Three Meals Today—No More Bulletins.

New York, Aug. 24.—The bullet wound in Mayor Gaynor's neck has healed on the outside and the irritation of the throat caused by granulation on the inside has ceased. The mayor ate heartily today and will go back tomorrow to his regular diet of three meals a day. He was allowed to take a little exercise in the hospital corridors today.

No bulletins now are issued and only the hospital physicians are in attendance. There will be a consultation of physicians toward the end of this week to fix the date at which it will be wise to allow the mayor to leave.

ATTACK FATAL FOR HIM.

Opened Fired on Wife With Another Man—Two Wounded.

King City, Cal., Aug. 24.—Frederick W. Becker died today of several bullet wounds that he sustained last night in an attack on his wife and N. J. Tognazzini, whom he had taken together in a cottage. Mrs. Becker and her father, W. D. Fowler, were wounded. Becker opened fire through a window, wounding his wife and Fowler. Tognazzini returned the fire with an automatic revolver, when that was emptied, with a rifle.

Becker, wounded many times and nearly dead, crawled to his buggy, keeping up a fire with a shot gun until he fell unconscious.

SUSPICIONS CLAIRVOYANT.

Probably Kidnapped and Killed Italian Boy.

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 24.—No trace had been found tonight of the kidnapper and murderer of Peter Fabian, four years old, a son of Frank Fabian, an Italian. The boy's body was found today in an outhouse at the rear of his home, cut and strangled. He had been dead but a short time, although missing since last Friday.

Detectives are interested in the coincidence that an Italian clairvoyant, who Fabian consulted in New York City on Tuesday, when he first became alarmed, foretold that the boy would be found near his home.

GRANVILLE COMMISSIONERS.

Come Back at Their Accusers Charging Political Activity.

Oxford, N. C., Aug. 24.—Robert W. Lassiter, chairman of the board of commissioners of Granville county, is indignant at the charges sent in from Durham against him and his associates for misconduct in office and says they are false and unwarranted. Today he served notice of a suit for libel against the Morning Herald, which published the charges in extenso, and says he intends to make the parties originating the charge suffer for it.

It has developed that the justice of the peace who granted the warrant was the unsuccessful candidate for commissioner against Ralph Currin, one of the defendants, and that a Republican who took part in the Democratic primary and voted for the defeated justice, and afterwards was a delegate to the Republican State convention, and a Republican postmaster and a disgraced defeated justice were the active parties in employing W. G. Braham, the leading Republican lawyer at Durham, to prosecute the commissioners. So sure were the parties that the commissioners would all be found guilty that the judgment was written out though not signed in advance of the trial, adjudging the commissioners all guilty and requiring them to give bond for their appearance at court. They attached this judgment to the warrant that was served on the commissioners.

The commissioners do not seem to be at all worried over the matter and say they are confident of acquittal when the charges are investigated.

STOLE TO ATTEND SYNOD.

Former Lutheran Pastor Lands In St. Louis Jail.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24.—Rev. August Hauberich, formerly pastor of a German Lutheran church in Middleburg, Ohio, stole 17 watches and 18 in currency from students of Eden College, St. Louis county, in order to raise money to attend the Pennsylvania District Conference of the German Evangelical Synod, according to his statement made today, when he arrived from Cincinnati in the custody of an officer, who placed him in jail.

The preacher's arrest was caused by a former student of Eden College. Hauberich said he would plead guilty to the charges against him when arraigned. His license to preach was taken from him by the Lutheran governing board a month ago.

CHINAMAN MAKING COINS.

Arrested by U. S. Marshals in Honolulu—Wanted Goods.

Honolulu, Aug. 24.—Lee Young, a Chinaman, was arrested today in a remote section of the island of Maui, on a charge of counterfeiting. Young was found in possession of a complete counterfeiting plant with which he had been turning out excellent counterfeit ten dollar coins composed largely of gold. Only a few of the coins have been put into circulation. The arrest was made by United States District Attorney Breckons and United States Marshal Hendry.

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ESTRADA TO RULE SOON

Insurgent General Expected to Assume Presidency Upon Arrival.

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 24.—General Juan Estrada is on the way to Managua from Chontales and on his arrival here will assume the post of provisional president.

According to Jan Estrada anticipates a peaceful inauguration of his brother, but is taking the necessary precautions to put down any disorder. The capital tonight is tranquil.

The train bearing the peace commissioner appointed by acting President Estrada and also the British Spanish and Italian consuls while bound for Granada, where the commission expected to meet General Estrada, was fired upon by mistake near Granada by Provisional sentries. The commission is expected to return to the capital tonight.

It now turns out that several soldiers were killed by the populace which fired volleys at the carriage of the fleeing President Madriz when he was being driven to the Lake front to board a lake steamer for Corinto. Madriz himself was uninjured (but was prevented from boarding the steamer) and aided by Aurelio Estrada, a brother of Juan and Jose Estrada, boarded the train which was waiting to take the peace commissioner to Granada and started on his way to Corinto.

Prior to the fall of Managua the secretary of the penitentiary voluntarily made an affidavit before American consul Olivares that the walls of the prison containing several hundred prisoners had been mined by one of the keepers. Mr. Olivares immediately called on President Madriz and requested that an investigation of the affair be made. This Madriz refused to grant and Mr. Olivares demanded the removal from the prison of William P. Pittman, of Boston, who was under arrest on a charge of espionage that he had laid mines at Bluefields on behalf of the revolutionists.

Madriz guaranteed the safety of Pittman and promised to release him before morning. This was done. The American and other consuls then demanded, in the name of humanity, that the keeper who, it was alleged, had mined the walls should be dismissed from his position. This demand also was granted and the keeper thereupon confessed the plot and declared that he intended to touch a button and explode the mines when the revolutionists entered the city or upon the downfall of Madriz.

DYNAMITED LAND.

Phenomenal Yield of Corn Where Spartans Experiment Was Had.

Spartanburg, S. C., Aug. 23.—What is said to be the finest field of corn in this section if not in the State is that of J. Henry Caldwell, the ground for which was broken by exploding dynamite along the rows and Mr. Caldwell is figuring on making 250 bushels to the acre.

Though practically all the corn in this section is badly "fired" because of continued drought, this corn is as green as if it had been grown in a well-watered river bottom. Only a few yards away where the land was not dynamited and where other conditions are the same the corn is badly fired.

Mr. Caldwell believes that his plan will revolutionize corn culture. His expense to date on the acre on which he is experimenting have been but \$65.50.

NO CHANCE TO END STRIKE.

Coal Operators Association Refuses to Accept Miners' Scale.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Hope of ending soon the strike of coal miners in Illinois ended today when the Illinois Coal Operators Association voted unanimously not to accept the miners' scale. In all, 130 companies, controlling 350 mines, were represented at the conference. Each company gave a bond to uphold the resolution and stand out against the miners.

The resolution affects 50,000 of the 75,000 coal miners in Illinois now on strike, the companies in the first and the ninth district previously having adopted the scale and resumed work.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 24.—The branch of Alabama Republicans opposed to J. O. Thompson, chairman of the Republican State Committee, held a convention today and nominated Montgomery; Lieutenant Governor W. F. Tabbets, Mobile.

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NATIONAL PRIMARY LAW

Favored by Senator Cummins—Will Propose New Regulation.

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 24.—Asserting that the nominations for President and Vice President may be and actually have been determined by the vote of delegates from States which cast no electoral vote for the party tickets, the Senator Albert B. Cummins today declared his intention of introducing in the Senate a bill providing for the enactment of a National primary law.

The Senator declared that if Congress could not act within a reasonable time on a National primary bill, he would propose a law regulating National party conventions, making the basis of representation the party vote instead of population.

At the recent Iowa Republican State convention, a plank was adopted in favor of a National primary law.

AN ENGINE CONTEST

Pennsylvania Locomotive Could Haul more Than N. Y. Central.

Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 24.—A test of the relative hauling ability of locomotives of corresponding design of the Pennsylvania and New York Central railroads was completed today when Pennsylvania Engine No. 1221, of the H. 8-B type, hauled 120 loaded steel freight cars from Altoona to Harrisburg over the middle division of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The 3-6 engine on the New York Central which completed the test was able to haul only 105 cars. In today's test the 120 cars constituted a train 4,400 feet long, the total weight being 14,132 tons. The running time of the 125 miles average 16 2/3 miles an hour. The single engine took all the grades.

Galesburg, Ill., Aug. 24.—Ross K. driven by McMahon, today excelled his record of 2:02 1/4 by half a second in a special pacing event at the great western circuit harness meet. His time by quarters was 0:29 1/4; 0:59 3/4; 1:30 1/2; 2:01 3/4.

Nyack, N. Y., Aug. 24.—After twenty five years of married life, Edward W. Egner of Pearl River shot his wife dead today at her farm in Nanuet. He was arrested. The couple had not lived together for some months, because the wife complained that her husband drank. This morning Wegner came home with a shot gun and killed her.

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A CONFERENCE WITH TAFT.

Representative Loudenslager Talked Over Campaign Plans.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 24.—Representative H. C. Loudenslager, of New Jersey, secretary of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee, spent most of today in Beverly and had a long talk with the President regarding the plans for the coming campaign.

Mr. Loudenslager announced that it had been decided to make the President's letter public in New York, probably September 5th.

Mr. Loudenslager thinks everything is in pretty good shape for the campaign in New York State.

President Taft is going to pay Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh a week-end visit at the latter's Summer home in Dublin, N. H. He will motor to Dublin Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Taft's visit to Dublin will effectively set at rest the stories that have been circulated from time to time of a coolness between him and Secretary MacVeagh. These stories have gone so far at times as to intimate that Mr. MacVeagh may retire from the cabinet. They are said to be absolutely without foundation.

SCANDAL IN EAGLES' ORDER.

Probers at St. Louis Decide to Hold Back Their Report.

St. Louis, Aug. 24.—The trial committee of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which investigated the charges that \$12,000 of the funds of the order were diverted by four former officers of the order, today decided to make no report until after the election of officers. The election will come later in the week.

The charges grew out of the alleged sale of paraphernalia to the local areas upon which the grand officers are said to have profited.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Miss Blanche Cromartie, of Greenville, N. C., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Bannerman, 109 Walnut street.

Miss Daisy Cronly has gone to Hendersonville, N. C., where she expects to spend the remainder of the summer.

Miss Louise Knight and Miss Mary Geer, of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Collier, on North Front street.

Miss Bella Lawther left last evening for Rocky Mount to visit friends. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lawther have gone to Ocean View, Va., to spend a while.

A meeting of the Philatelic Class of Grace M. Church will be held in the lecture room this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested.

Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington Public Schools, has gone to High Point, N. C., where he will spend a while at his old home and attending a family reunion near there.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. Youngblood and Miss Mildred and Master Norman have returned from Wrightsville Beach, and leave today for Mount Airy to spend awhile."

In honor of their guest, Miss Ira Hall, of Newbern, the Misses Hurst gave a delightful hay ride to Wrightsville on Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served and the evening was most pleasantly spent.

A private message yesterday from Mr. J. H. Rehder's automobile party which left here some days ago, was to the effect that they had crossed the White Mountains safely and are now on the coast of Maine. All members of the party are well and enjoying the trip greatly.

QUIET CHURCH WEDDING

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.
A wedding of much interest was celebrated at St. John's Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon when Mr. James Cottingham Robeson, a well known and popular young business man of this city, and Miss Julia Saunders, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Saunders, of Burgaw, plighted their troth. The beautiful and impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. James Carmichael, rector emeritus of St. John's church. It was a very quiet affair and was beautiful in its simplicity. A large number of relatives and most intimate friends of the couple witnessed the event. Mr. and Mrs. Robeson left for the afternoon Seaboard train for Havel, Bladen county, the former home of the groom, where they will spend several days, after which they will return to Wilmington to reside. The bride has made Wilmington her home for some time and has a wide circle of friends in this city. The groom is a popular salesman for Samuel Bear & Son, and is well known throughout Eastern Carolina.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. R. Norris, of Raleigh, was a guest at The Orion yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dempsey, of Sumter, S. C., were guests at The Orion yesterday.

—Messrs. J. B. and James L. Harrelson, of Vineland, were business visitors in the city yesterday.

—Mr. Joe Gurganus, well and popularly known here as formerly an employee of The Orion barber shop, is in the city en route to his home at Norfolk.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orion were C. L. Baker and James Menzies, of Savannah; Ernest Williams, of Augusta, and H. Blount Hunter, of Norfolk.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. A. H. Watson is attending the State convention of the Junior Order at Wrightsville Beach as a representative of Cape Fear Council, this city."

—Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. Walter Clark, Jr. left yesterday for Wilmington to attend the meeting of the State Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics."

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Simpkins and J. F. Batts, of Raleigh, were guests at The Orion yesterday. Mr. Simpkins recently purchased the valuable Chadwick farm in East Wilmington and is here on business in connection therewith.

ABANDONED OFF HATTERS.

Schooner Catherine M. Monahan Deserted by the Crew.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 24.—The big coasting schooner Catherine M. Monahan, Capt. J. Sifford, bound from New York to Knights Key, Fla., with a cargo of cement, was abandoned off Cape Hatteras at 4 A. M. today in a sinking condition. She is now believed to be at the bottom of the ocean.

Capt. Sifford, his crew of seven men, and one colored woman, left the schooner in a yawl boat and landed safely at Durant's Life Saving Station just south of Hatteras, where they are now being cared for.

Eureka, Kans., Aug. 24.—Charles F. Corley, a traveling salesman of Wichita; R. B. Anderson, a bank cashier of Hamilton, Kans.; and Mrs. Anderson were killed tonight when a Santa Fe passenger train struck their automobile.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The gentleman who took rain coat from the station Restaurant by mistake is asked to please return the same and no questions will be asked.

—Mr. W. C. Hammond, local representative of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, has returned from Springfield, Mass., where he attended the 19th annual meeting of the Agents' Association of that company.

—Among the arrivals yesterday morning for the Junior Order meeting was Mr. C. G. Cobb, editor of the Morganton Herald, who is pleasantly remembered here by many friends he made during the meeting of the North Carolina Press Association.

—Under claim and delivery proceedings in Justice George Harris' court by the Corbett Company against F. E. Haskagen, trustee, 19 sacks of flour were sold at the place of business of the Carolina Bakeries, owned and operated by Constable Savage. Having held the property the required length of time and the defendant not taking the necessary steps to secure possession of the same, the officer yesterday morning delivered the flour to the plaintiff in the action.

—Deaths were filed for record yesterday as follows: L. O. Smith and wife to M. E. Carter, of Aiken, S. C., for \$100 and other considerations, 10.40 acres of land in Cape Fear township, on west side of road from Wilmington to Castle Haynes, adjoining lands of R. H. Beery, John W. Burton and wife to D. M. Davis, for \$100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Sixth, 132 feet south of Ann, 33x165 feet in size; Miss Mary Bridges to Miss Daisy L. Barbark, for \$10 and other considerations, lot at "Carolina Heights" containing on north side of Princess, 140 feet east of 19th street, 70x165 feet in size.

ROOSEVELT EXPEDITION.

Loring Lectures on African Trip—Hunting on the Plains.

Woverly, N. Y., Aug. 24.—J. Alden Loring, of Owego, N. Y., one of the field naturalists that accompanied the Roosevelt African Expedition, delivered his first lecture, "Through Africa With Roosevelt," here tonight as one of the attractions of the Old Home Week celebration. Mr. Loring covered the entire trip from Mombasa, British East Africa, to Gondokoro on the Nile, where the big game hunting practically ceased. After describing the habits of the natives and game, and relating many interesting experiences that befell various members of the party, the speaker said:

"Colonel Roosevelt and Kermit are two of the finest men to be with in camp that I have met. Their whole education and they added many rare animals to the collection simply because they were determined to make it as complete and valuable as possible. Although handicapped by poor eyesight, the Colonel is a good marksman. Like all sportsmen, he made many and many a fine shot, but as a whole his shooting was above the average and he frequently brought down many flying birds, such as herons, cranes and greater bustards. In hunting dangerous game, such as buffaloes, elephants, rhinoceros and lions, he exhibited the courage of a veteran big game hunter, and the quickness with which he mastered the situation when in dangerous places, and the accuracy of his shooting showed that he never got excited."

"I do not think that the Colonel gives his hunters the impression of the very great danger that he and Kermit were so often placed in. After we had said good-bye to four or five settlers with whom we had become acquainted, and met them again several weeks later to find one with a badly injured arm, and another, a second in the hospital at the point of death from a lion mauling, and a third who exhibited a rent in a shirt made by the tusks of a charging elephant that killed his gun bearer; and after we had dined with a missionary on the moon and learned of his death from fever the next day, we began to realize that hunting African big game was not altogether a one-sided affair."

Mr. Loring spoke of Kermit as being one of the most persistent sportsmen he has ever met; cool in the presence of danger and so enduring that when he pursued a wounded animal he seldom failed to get it and in the chase he outran his gun bearers and even the swift porters.

In substance Mr. Loring denied that the expedition was one of slaughter. He said that it was purely scientific; sent out by the Smithsonian Institution for the purpose of enriching our knowledge of science and to collect specimens of African animals. Ten times the amount of game could have been killed. Already over 25 animals had been killed and he described the new to science have been described and when the entire collection has been worked up, many more will have been found. Not infrequently the government is compelled to close to travelers sections of the country where man-eating lions have suddenly appeared and are killing the natives or where a rhinoceros or buffalo has torn them with their horns. These animals have to be killed before the region is again safe for travelers. Game is so abundant that barbed wire fences are broken down by zebras, wild beasts and herbivores and crops seriously damaged. The settlers encourage hunters and if they had their own way, in a short time the vast herds of game that now roam over the plains would be greatly decreased."

A large number of colored lantern slides made from photographs taken by Col. Roosevelt and Mr. Kermit Roosevelt were shown. They depicted herds of wild elephants, rhinoceros, giraffes and other African animals.

WILL JOIN ROOSEVELT.

James R. Garfield Will Meet the Colonel in Wyoming.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 24.—James R. Garfield left his home at Mentor, Ohio, tonight for Chicago and will join Col. Roosevelt in Cheyenne, Wyo., Saturday. Mr. Garfield's first address will be delivered at Sycamore, Ill., tomorrow. On August 29th, he will speak on "Conservation" before the Round Table Club at Denver. On August 31st he will speak on the same platform with Col. Roosevelt and Gifford Pinchot at Ossawatimie, Kan. His subject will be "The influence of conservation in politics." Mr. Garfield will continue with the Roosevelt party until September 6th, when he will deliver an address before the conservation congress at St. Paul.

JUNIORS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

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sentatives in attendance. The session lasted until nearly 12 o'clock, but practically all of the morning was devoted to organization for the transaction of business in the afternoon and evening sessions.

Just before the convening of the afternoon session at 2:30 o'clock the Juniors gathered on the front veranda and steps of the Tarrymore Hotel for a group photograph by Photographer Halladay, of Durham.

The reports of the officers for the term beginning in February and ending with the meeting here, were printed in pamphlet form and distributed among the members of the order yesterday morning. The following are some extracts from the report of State Council Goodwin:

"In a body the size of ours it would be unreasonable to hope for unanimity of opinion and equally unreasonable to expect absolute harmony of action and word, but from messages received in the course of my correspondence with almost every Council in the State, I am led to believe that there has not been a time in recent years when more complete harmony prevailed and when our membership stood closer together, in all things relating to our order, than they do at the present time. This is a condition of which, I know, you are all proud and, if this spirit shall prevail to the extent of guiding us harmoniously through the deliberations of this session, I shall feel that a new era has dawned and that the principles of the organization of which we are all so proud are more firmly rooted in the hearts of our members than ever before."

Orphanage Proposition.

"At our last session there was adopted, subject to ratification by the subordinate councils, a resolution generally known as the 'Orphanage Proposition' and which same appears in full on pages 114 and 115 of the minutes of the last session. Immediately after the close of the session this resolution was referred, by our State Secretary, to the Subordinate Councils and, although the laws provide that action on such matters as these shall be taken at the first meeting of the Council following their receipt, returns sufficient to determine the matter were not received until June 25th, which was about four months after the close of the session, and not then until after Bro. Vance, myself had written repeatedly to delinquent Councils and urged them to make report. It was plainly evident that many of our Councils were indifferent as to the result and in a number of cases, from letters received, I am confident that they were ignorant as to what they were really expected to do. After Bro. Vance's report of comment, than the one now under consideration, has come before us during my administration and I will therefore be pardoned for reporting on same at length. The question of an Orphanage has been agitated in our State Council meetings for many years, with varying degrees of enthusiasm in its favor. I am not prepared to give the history of the movement since its inception and even if I were it is not necessary for it would only be a rehash of what has already been gone over and no purpose would be served thereby. What we have to deal with is the present and in dealing with it, in relation to this subject, we should exercise an abundance of diplomacy and not allow the exercise of our sentiments to get the upper hand of our business judgment. As before stated, this matter, under various conditions and circumstances, has engrossed the attention of our membership for several years past. Twice it has been adopted by the State Council but when referred to the Subordinate Councils for ratification, was by them rejected. This would show conclusively that the sentiment expressed by the representatives, while under the influence of the passionate appeals, to which we are all susceptible, was not the sentiment of the Councils themselves, who acted under conditions entirely dissimilar. I entertain an inexpressible regard for those of our members who have been in the forefront in advocating the establishment of a Junior Order Orphanage in North Carolina as I believe they have been actuated by the purest of motives and solely from a desire to provide a home for the orphan children of our deceased members. I also am in full accord with the work which is being accomplished by the Orphanage already established and realize that our order, with a membership in North Carolina of almost double that of any other two organizations of like character, is considered behind the times in not having made provision for the care of these little ones. Yet, with all this, we appear to lose sight of the fact that we have a National Orphan Home which we have assisted in building and toward the support of which we are contributing all the while. I do not know of an application for admission into this Home having been made in behalf of any orphan from North Carolina that was rejected, and the small number that are in the Home from our State is indicative to me that we have few orphans. With this view of the situation, the folly of providing an Orphanage and maintaining it, when we have no orphans to care for, is certainly to say the least, a very poor exercise of good business judgment. The situation has also been placed before me in another light, viz: that at least seventy-five or eighty per cent of our membership were connected with other organizations, either fraternal or religious, and that many of these are contributing to the support of which we are contributing through these other organizations and which already takes care of the situation which is being sought to be provided for through the proposition under consideration. This being so, and its being evident also, that we actually have not a sufficient number of Junior orphans in North Carolina, who would come to us at this time were an Orphanage provided, would we be justified in entailing the enormous outlay necessary to provide and maintain an institution such as is contemplated. In this connection I beg

also to remind you that a consideration of this proposition was before the conference, held in Winston-Salem, October 2nd, 1909, between your officers and those of the National Council, and thereat it was agreed that the best solution of this matter would be for us to advocate that a branch of the National Orphan Home be established in the South, and it was felt that North Carolina, with her large membership and her favorable climatic conditions would be entitled to, and would receive favorable consideration in the determining of location of such branch. There has been no meeting of the National Council since this conference and there will not be until June of next year, so no opportunity has been afforded to prove the good faith of promises made. I believe the next step in this matter should be to arm our representatives to the National Council with some tangible proposition for presentation to that body, let that be a tender of site, a monetary contribution, or both, and with this offer, as a basis of claim, charge them to exert every effort in their power to have authorized the establishment of a branch of the National Orphan Home and have it located at some point in North Carolina. If this can be accomplished we will derive every benefit that we would through a Home under our own control and relief of the relief of the burden of its establishment and maintenance. I cannot conceive of an argument that could be presented which would prove that this would not be a most happy solution of this problem and I have ample reason for believing that if it is managed properly it will be carried to a most successful termination. I have thus commented at length as I realize that this, more than any other one subject, is occasioning the little troubles which have been cropping out in the course of our deliberations from time to time, and I feel called upon to urge you to rally to the support of the proposition here presented to the end that differences of opinion may be harmonized and the order allowed to go forward in the accomplishment of the great work for which it is designed."

The State Council called attention to a number of defects in the laws governing the body and suggested remedies. Action will probably be taken at this session of the Council. In concluding his report, the State Council expressed its appreciation of the valuable assistance rendered him by State Secretary Vance.

The report of Secretary Vance shows in detail the work of the State Council during the past six months. During this period there were instituted 21 new councils, six were reinstated, making a total June 30th, of 283 councils. Twelve lost their charters during the six months, leaving at present 271 active councils, a gain of 15 since the last report. December 31st, 1909, there were 22,857 contributing members and 910 honorary members, making a total of 23,767. June 30th, 1910, there were 24,628 contributing members and 925 honorary members, a total of 25,553. This is a gain of 1,786 during the past six months.

Under the head of finances of subordinate councils the secretary reports that for the six months ending June 30th, 1910, the total receipts amounted to \$138,186.98; total disbursements, \$128,094.84, leaving a balance of \$10,092.14, cash in hands of treasurers and outstanding, \$89,455.02. The value of council property, real and personal, \$55,154.52. Total value of councils, \$145,320.20. Under head of State Council finances he reports that the total receipts for the same period amounted to \$11,822.05.

FOUR KNOWN TO BE DEAD.

Crash Between Passenger Trains—On Grand Trunk Fatal.

Durant, Mich., Aug. 24.—Four passengers are known to have been killed and many are reported to have been injured tonight when Grand Trunk passenger train No. 4 crashed into No. 14, the Chicago-Montreal train, two miles east of here.

Thirteen passengers were in the rear sleeper of No. 14 which is reported thrown from the right-of-way and partially burned. Two unidentified bodies have been recovered and two are known to have been burned.

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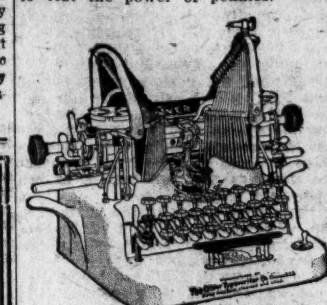
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Miss Blanche Cromarty, of Greenville, N. C., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Bannerman, 109 Walnut street.

Miss Daisy Cronly has gone to Hendersonville, N. C., where she expects to spend the remainder of the summer.

Miss Louise Knight and Miss Mary Geer, of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Collier, on North Front street.

Miss Bella Lawther left last evening for Rocky Mount to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lawther have gone to Ocean View, Va., to spend a while.

A meeting of the Philanthropic Class of Grace M. E. Church will be held in the lecture room this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested.

Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington Public Schools, has gone to High Point, N. C., where he will spend a while at his old home and attending a family reunion near there.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. Youngblood and Miss Mildred and Master Norman have returned from Wrightsville Beach, and leave today for Mount Airy to spend awhile."

In honor of their guest, Miss Ira Hall, of Newbern, the Misses Hurst gave a delightful hay ride to Wrightsville on Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served and the evening was most pleasantly spent.

QUIET CHURCH WEDDING

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

A wedding of much interest was celebrated at St. John's Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon when Mr. James Cottingham Robeson, a well known and popular young business man of this city, and Miss Julia Saunders, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Saunders, of Burgaw, plighted their troth. The beautiful and impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. James Carmichael, rector emeritus of St. John's church. It was a very quiet affair and was beautiful in its simplicity. A large number of relatives and most intimate friends of the couple witnessed the event. Mr. and Mrs. Robeson left on the afternoon Seaboard train for Tarheel, Bladen county, the former home of the groom, where they will spend several days, after which they will return to Wilmington to reside. The bride has made Wilmington her home for some time and has a wide circle of friends in this city. The groom is a popular salesman for Samuel Bear Sr. & Son, and is well known throughout Eastern Carolina.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. R. Norris, of Raleigh, was a guest at The Orion yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dempsey, of Sumter, S. C., were guests at The Orion yesterday.

—Messrs. J. B. and James L. Harrelson, of Vineland, were business visitors in the city yesterday.

—Mr. Joe Gurganus, well and popularly known here as formerly an attaché of The Orion barber shop, is in the city en route to his home at Norfolk.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orion were C. L. Baker and James Menzies, of Savannah; Ernest Williams, of Augusta, and H. Blount Hunter, of Norfolk.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. A. H. Watson is attending the State convention of the Junior Order at Wrightsville Beach as a representative of Cape Fear Council, this city."

—Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. Walter Clark, Jr., left yesterday for Wilmington to attend the meeting of the State Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics."

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Simpkins and J. F. Batts, of Raleigh, were guests at The Orion yesterday. Mr. Simpkins recently purchased the valuable Chadwick farm in East Wilmington and is here on business in connection therewith.

ABANDONED OFF HATTERAS.

Schooner Catherine M. Monahan Deserted by the Crew.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 24.—The big coasting schooner Catherine M. Monahan, Capt. J. Sifford, bound from New York to Knights Key, Fla., with a cargo of cement, was abandoned off Cape Hatteras at 4 A. M. today in a sinking condition. She is now believed to be at the bottom of the ocean.

Capt. Sifford, his crew of seven men, and one colored woman, left the schooner in a yawl boat and landed safely at Durant's Life Saving Station just south of Hatteras, where they are now being cared for.

Eureka, Kans., Aug. 24.—Charles F. Corley, a traveling salesman of Wichita; R. B. Anderson, a bank cashier, of Hamilton, Kans.; and Mrs. Anderson were killed tonight when a Santa Fe passenger train struck their automobile.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The gentleman who took rain coat from the Junction Restaurant by mistake is asked to please return the same and no questions will be asked.

—Mr. W. C. Hammond, local representative of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, has returned from Springfield, Mass., where he attended the 19th annual meeting of the Agents' Association of that company.

—Among the arrivals yesterday morning for the Junior Order meeting was Mr. T. G. Cobb, editor of the Morganton Herald, who is pleasantly remembered here by many friends he made during the meeting of the North Carolina Press Association.

—Under claim and delivery proceedings in Justice George Harris' court by the Corbett Company against E. E. Hashagen, trustee, 10 sacks of flour were seized from the place of business of the Carolina Bakery some days ago by Constable Savage. Having held the property the required length of time and the defendant not taking the necessary steps to secure possession of the same, the flour yesterday morning delivered to the plaintiff in the action.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: L. O. Smith and wife to M. E. Carter, of Aiken, S. C., for \$100 and other considerations, 10.40 acres of land in Cape Fear township, on west side of road from Wilmington to Castle Haynes, adjoining lands of R. H. Berry; John W. Batson and wife to D. M. Davis, for \$100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Sixth, 132 feet south of A. N. 33x165 feet in size; Miss Mary Briggs to Miss Daisy L. Harbank, for \$100 and other considerations, lot at "Carolina Heights," same being on north side of Princess, 140 feet east of 19th street, 70x165 feet in size.

ROOSEVELT EXPEDITION.

Loring Lectures on African Trip—Hunting on the Plains.

Woverly, N. Y., Aug. 24.—J. Alden Loring, of Owego, N. Y., one of the field naturalists that accompanied the Roosevelt African Expedition, delivered his first lecture last evening at the Old Home. With Roosevelt, here tonight as one of the attractions of the Old Home Week celebration, Mr. Loring covered the entire trip from Mombasa, British East Africa, to Gondokoro on the Nile, where the big game hunting practically ceased. After describing the habits of the natives and game, and relating many interesting experiences that befell various members of the party, the speaker said: "Colonel Roosevelt and Kermit are two of the finest men to be with in camp that I have met. The whole expedition and they added many rare animals to the collection simply because they were determined to make it as complete and valuable as possible. Although handicapped by poor eyesight, the Colonel is a good marksman, and he made many fine shots and he made many poor ones, but as a whole his shooting was above the average and he frequently brought down many flying birds, such as herons, cranes and greater bluebirds. In hunting dangerous game, such as buffalo, elephants, rhinoceros and lions, he exhibited the courage of a veteran big game hunter, and the quickness with which he mastered the situation when in dangerous places, and the accuracy of his shooting showed that he never got excited."

"I think that the Colonel gives his readers a fair impression of the very great danger that he and Kermit were so often placed in. After we had said good-bye to four or five settlers with whom we had become acquainted, and met them again several weeks later to find one with a badly injured arm, chewed by a leopard, a second in the hospital at the point of death from a lion mauling, and a third who exhibited a rent in a shirt made by the tusks of a charging elephant that killed his gun bearer; and after we had dined with a missionary on a noon and learned of his death from fever the next day, we began to realize that hunting African big game was not altogether a one-sided affair."

Mr. Loring spoke of Kermit as being one of the most persistent sportsmen he has ever met; cool in the presence of a danger and so enduring that when he pursued a wounded animal he seldom failed to get it and in the chase he outran his gun bearers and even the swiftest porters.

In substance Mr. Loring denied that the expedition was one of slaughter. He said that it was purely scientific, sent out by the Smithsonian Institution for the purpose of enriching our knowledge of science and to collect specimens of African animals. Ten times the amount of game could have been killed. Already, over 25 animals new to science have been described, and when the entire collection has been worked up, many more will have been found. Not infrequently the government is compelled to close to travelers sections of the country where man-eating lions have suddenly appeared and are killing the natives or where a rogue rhinoceros or buffalo toss them with their horns. These animals have to be killed before the region is again safe for travelers. Game is so abundant that barbed wire fences are broken down by zebras, wild beasts and hartebeests and crops seriously damaged. The settlers encourage hunters and if they had their own way, in a short time the vast herds of game that now roam over the plains would be greatly decreased.

A large number of colored lantern slides made from photographs taken by Col. Roosevelt and Mr. Kermit were shown. They depicted herds of wild elephants, rhinoceros, giraffes and other African animals.

WILL JOIN ROOSEVELT.

James R. Garfield Will Meet the Colonel in Wyoming.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 24.—James R. Garfield left his home at Mentor, Ohio, tonight for Chicago and will join Col. Roosevelt in Cheyenne, Wyo., Saturday. Mr. Garfield's first address will be delivered at Sycamore, Ill., tomorrow. On August 29th, he will speak on "Conservation" before the Round Table Club at Denver. On August 31st he will speak on the same platform with Col. Roosevelt and Gifford Pinchot at Okauchonome, Kans. His subject will be "The influence of conservation in politics." Mr. Garfield will continue with the Roosevelt party until September 6th, when he will deliver an address before the conservation congress at St. Paul.

JUNIORS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

(Continued on Page Six.)

Just before the convening of the afternoon session at 2:30 o'clock the Juniors gathered on the front veranda and steps of the Tarrymore Hotel for a group photograph by Photographer Halladay, of Durham.

The reports of the officers for the term beginning in February and ending with the meeting here, were printed in pamphlet form and distributed among the members of the order yesterday morning. The following are some extracts from the report of State Councilor Goodwin:

"In a body the size of ours it would be unreasonable to hope for unanimity of opinion and equally unreasonable to expect absolute harmony of action and word, but from messages received in the course of my correspondence with almost every Council in the State, I am led to believe that there has not been a time in recent years when more complete harmony prevailed and when our membership stood closer together. In all things relating to our order, than they do at the present time. This is a condition of which, I know, you are all proud and, if this spirit shall prevail to the extent of guiding us harmoniously through the deliberations of this session, I shall feel that a new era has dawned and that the principles of the organization of which we are all so proud are more firmly rooted in the hearts of our members than ever before."

Orphanage Proposition.

"At our last session there was adopted, subject to ratification by the subordinate councils, a resolution generally known as the 'Orphanage Proposition' and which same appears in full on pages 114 and 115 of the minutes of the last session. Immediately after the close of the session this resolution was referred by our State Secretary, to the Subordinate Councils and, although the laws provide that action on such matters as these shall be taken at the first meeting of the Council following their receipt, returns sufficient to determine the matter were not received until June 25th, which was almost four months after the close of the session, and not then until after Bro. Vance and myself had written repeatedly to delinquent Councils and urged them to make report. It was plainly evident that many of our Councils were indifferent as to the result and in a number of cases, from letters received, I am confident that they were ignorant as to what they were really expected to do. No matter more worthy of comment, than the one now under consideration, has come before us during my administration and I will therefore be pardoned for reporting on same at length. The question of an Orphanage has been agitated in our State Council meetings for many years with varying degrees of enthusiasm in its favor. I am not prepared to give the history of the movement since its inception and even if I were it is not necessary for it would only be a rehash of what has already been gone over and no purpose would be served thereby. What we have to deal with is the present and in dealing with it, in relation to this subject, we should exercise an abundance of diplomacy and not allow the exercise of our sentiments to get the upper hand of our business judgment. As before stated, this matter, under various conditions and circumstances, has engrossed the attention of our membership for several years past. Twice it has been adopted by the State Council but when referred to the Subordinate Councils for ratification, was by them rejected. This would show conclusively that the sentiment expressed by the representatives, while under the influence of the passionate appeals, to which we are all susceptible, was not the sentiment of the Councils themselves, who acted under conditions entirely dissimilar. I entertain an inexpressible regard for those of our members who have been in the forefront in advocating the establishment of a Junior Order Orphanage in North Carolina as I believe they have been actuated by the purest of motives and solely from a desire to provide a home for the orphan children of our deceased members. I also am in full accord with the work which is being accomplished by the Orphanage already established and realize that our order, with a membership in North Carolina of almost double that of any other two organizations of like character, is considered behind the times in not having made provision for the carrying out of this, one of our fundamental principles, yet, with all this, we appear to lose sight of the fact that we have a National Orphan's Home which we have assisted in building and toward the support of which we are contributing all the while. I do not know of an application for admission into this Home having been made in behalf of any orphan from North Carolina that was rejected, and the small number that are in the Home from our State is indicative to me that we have few orphans. With this view of the situation, the folly of providing an Orphanage and maintaining it, when we have no orphans to care for, is certainly to say the least, a very poor exercise of good business judgment. The situation has also been placed before me in another light, viz: that at least seventy-five or eighty per cent of our membership were connected with other organizations, either fraternal or religious, that have an orphanage toward the support of which we are contributing through these other organizations and which already takes care of the situation which is being sought to be provided for through the proposition under consideration. This being so, and its being evident also, that we actually have not a sufficient number of Junior orphans in North Carolina, who would come to us at this time, we are an orphanage provided, would we be justified in entailing the enormous outlay necessary to provide and maintain an institution such as is contemplated. In this connection I beg

also to remind you that a consideration of this proposition was before the conference, held in Winston-Salem, October 2nd, 1909, between your officers and those of the National Council, and thereat it was agreed that the best solution of this matter would be for us to advocate that a branch of the National Orphan's Home be established in the South, and it was felt that North Carolina with her large membership and her favorable climatic conditions would be entitled to, and would receive favorable consideration in the determining of location of such branch. There has been no meeting of the National Council since this conference and there will not be until June of next year, so no opportunity has been afforded to prove the good faith of promises made. I believe the next step in this matter should be to arm our representatives to the National Council with some tangible proposition for presentation to that body, let that be a tender of aid, a monetary contribution, or both, and with this offer, as a basis of claim, charge them to exert every effort in their power to have authorized the establishment of a branch of the National Orphan's Home and have it located at some point in North Carolina. If this can be accomplished we will derive every benefit from the establishment of the Home under our own control and would be relieved of the responsibility of its establishment and maintenance. I cannot conceive of an argument that could be presented which would disprove that this would not be a most happy solution of this problem and I have ample reason for believing that if it is managed properly it will be carried to a most successful termination. I have thus commented at length as I realize that this, more than any other one subject, is occasioning the little troubles which have been cropping out in the course of our deliberations from time to time, and I feel called upon to urge you to rally to the support of the proposition here presented to the end that differences of opinion may be harmonized and the order allowed to go forward in the accomplishment of the great work for which it is designed."

The State Council called attention to a number of defects in the laws governing the body and suggested remedial action will probably be taken at this session of the Council. In concluding his report the State Councilor expresses his appreciation of the valuable assistance given him by State Secretary Vance.

The report of Secretary Vance shows in detail the work of the State Council during the past six months. During this period there were instituted 21 new councils, six were reinstated, making a total June 30th, of 283 councils. Twelve lost their charters during the six months, leaving at present 271 active councils, a gain of 15 since the last report. December 31st, 1909, there were 22,857 contributing members and 910 honorary members, making a total of 23,767. June 30th, 1910, there were 24,628 contributing members and 925 honorary members, a total of 25,553. This is a gain of 1,786 during the past six months.

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New Orleans, Aug. 24.—Wireless telegraphic advices received here late tonight state that a storm of considerable intensity, which was first reported by the United States Weather Bureau of the coast of San Domingo is now sweeping over the Yucatan channel. It is said to be moving in a northwesterly direction. Points along the Louisiana coast tonight report that there are no indications of a hurricane.

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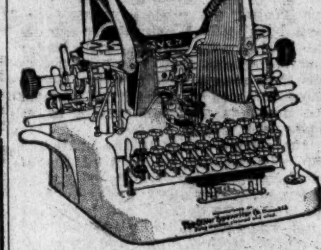
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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

COTTON MARKET RULED LOWER

Continued Quiet During Day's Trading With Close Steady at Net Loss of Three to Five Points—Conditions.

New York, Aug. 24.—The cotton market continued quiet during today's trading and prices ruled a little lower under scattering liquidation or local selling, with the close steady at a net loss of 3 to 5 points. The opening was a shade higher in response to better cables than expected and continued unfavorable weather reports from the Southwest.

It was reported that storm warnings had been ordered for the Mexican gulf coast, owing to the presence of a West Indian storm Southwest of Porto Rico and some traders thought this threatened a disturbance in the gulf which might work inland to the damage of the open cotton, but neither the possibility of this, nor the continued dry, hot weather in Texas inspired any fresh buying of consequence, and shortly after the opening prices eased off to a net loss of about 15 points on August for which there was little or no demand, and of 4 to 7 points on the new crop. If there was no important support, neither was there any aggressive selling, and after the publication of the Texas weather details showing maximum temperatures of from 100 to 107 degrees over much of the State, the market rallied a few points from the lowest. The bull leaders made no attempt to boost prices, however, and after recovering to within 2 to 3 points of last night's final, fluctuations became very narrow and irregular. Southern spot markets officially reported early were generally unchanged. The Western belt forecast called for showers in north Texas and predicted lower temperatures but did not promise any precipitation in the droughty sections of the State and southern parts of the State.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today, 7,922 bales against 6,773 last week, 3,648 last year, 9,801 in 1908. For the week 50,000 against 49,796 last week and 36,388 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 349 bales against 177 last year, at Houston 6,842 against 1,656.

Spot, middling uplands 16.45; middling gulf 16.70; sales 40 bales. Futures opened and closed steady. Month. Open. High. Low. Close. August. 16.45. 16.55. 16.35. 16.45. September. 16.40. 16.50. 16.30. 16.40. October. 16.35. 16.45. 16.25. 16.35. November. 16.30. 16.40. 16.20. 16.30. December. 16.25. 16.35. 16.15. 16.25. January. 16.20. 16.30. 16.10. 16.20. February. 16.15. 16.25. 16.05. 16.15. March. 16.10. 16.20. 15.95. 16.10. April. 16.05. 16.15. 15.90. 16.05. May. 16.00. 16.10. 15.85. 16.00. June. 15.95. 16.05. 15.80. 15.95. July. 15.90. 16.00. 15.75. 15.90.

Galveston—Steady, 15c; receipts 5,538; gross receipts 5,538; sales 723; stock 33,555. New Orleans—Steady, 15c; receipts 349; gross receipts 349; sales 215; stock 21,477; coastwise 901. Mobile—Nominal, 14 1/2-15; receipts 4; gross receipts 22; stock 217; coastwise 18. Savannah—Steady, 15 3/8; receipts 1,111; sales 50; stock 7,254; coastwise 54. Charleston—Nominal, receipts 398; gross receipts 398; stock 888; coastwise 473. Wilmington—Steady, 15c; receipts 128; gross receipts 128; stock 128; coastwise 128. Norfolk—Steady, 15c; receipts 372; sales 57; stock 846; Great Britain 1st, coastwise 128. Baltimore—Nominal, 16c; receipts 1,057. New York—Steady, 15c; receipts 100; gross receipts 100; sales 40; stock 104,955; coastwise 43. Boston—Quiet, 14 1/2; stock 4,977; coastwise 28. Philadelphia—Quiet, 16 1/2; stock 1,054. Total today, at all ports, net receipts 7,922; Great Britain 1st, Continent 8,732; coastwise 1,157. Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 36,974; Great Britain 1st, Continent 9,959; coastwise 2,965. Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 7,922; Great Britain 1st, Continent 8,732; coastwise 1,157. Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 36,974; Great Britain 1st, Continent 9,959; coastwise 2,965. Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 7,922; Great Britain 1st, Continent 8,732; coastwise 1,157.

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COTTON MARKET YESTERDAY.

Reports Favorable From May States—Market Awaits Developments.

(Special Star Telegram.) New York, Aug. 24.—A dull market ruling at small concessions from yesterday's closing prices. Advice of an approaching storm from the gulf created an impression that Texas might have more rain this week.

From the other States reports continue to be favorable so few buying orders are received. In fact the markets are awaiting developments. Offers of new cotton of high grade from Texas are coming into competition with the offers at reduced prices from our stock. We hear of some mills shipping here for delivery on August with the intention to replace from these delivery offerings. There still remains a short interest in August limited in volume, though the trade think there may be August buyers to cause an advance in August from these prices.

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Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 24, 1910.
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W. & C. & A. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin.
A. & Y. Railroad—13 casks spirits turpentine, 200 barrels rosin, 11 barrels tar.
S. R. Whitlock & Co. casks spirits turpentine, 35 barrels rosin, 78 barrels tar.
Total—31 casks spirits turpentine, 324 barrels rosin, 11 barrels tar, 78 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 24.—Flour steady. Cornmeal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 1.05 3/4 elevator and 1.07 f. o. b. New York 1 northern 1.22 f. o. b. to arrive.

Futures quiet; options 5-8 to 7-8 net lower. September 1.05 7/8 to 1.06 3/4, closed 1.05 7/8; December 1.09 13-16 to 1.10 5/8; options 1.09 7/8; May 1.13 7/8 to 1.14 1/4; options 1.13 3/8.

Corn—Easy; No. 2, 70c elevator domestic basis. Option market without transactions.

Oats—Spot steady; standard white 39; new No. 2 white 39 1/2.

Pork—Steady.

Lard—Barely steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw firm; Muscovado 97 test 3.95; centrifugal 3.70 test 4.45; molasses sugar 95 test 3.60; refined steady.

Coffee—Futures opened irregular at a decline of one to two points and closed steady at net advance of four to 15 points. Spot firm; Rio No. 7, 9 7/8 to 10 1/8; Santos No. 4, 10 3/4; mild steady; Cordova 10 1/4 to 12 3/8.

Potatoes—Easy; Long Island per barrel 1.75 to 2.00; Southern sweets 1.50 and 3.00.

Cabbages—Quiet, unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Freights—Steady; cotton by steamer to Liverpool 20c.

Butter—Firm; creamery specials 31 1/2 to 32; extras 30 to 31.

Cheese—Steady; State, Pennsylvania and nearby heavy white 28 to 33.

Cotton seed oil trade was moderately active with prices higher on covering, light stocks and a good consumptive demand, closing unchanged to 12 points higher. Sales 11,900 barrels. 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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 25, 1910.
Meteorological data for the 24 hours
ending 8 P. M. Wednesday, Aug. 24th:
Temperature at 8 A. M. 72 degrees;
8 P. M. 75 degrees; maximum 83 de-
grees; minimum 67 degrees; mean 75
degrees.
Rainfall for the day, .90; for the
month, 5.12 inches.
Stage of water in the Cape Fear
at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Wednesday
4.3 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Occasional
showers Thursday and Friday, moder-
ate east to southeast winds.

Storm Warning.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 24.—Tropi-
cal storm central near and south of
Santo Domingo, moving west by north.
Apparently of considerable intensity.
Unsafe for vessels in western Carib-
bean Sea and region of Cuba during
next few days.

MOORE.

Port Calendar—August 25.
Sun Rises.....5:40 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:47 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 7 min.
High water at Southport 11:15 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 2:15 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lumina—Souvenir Dance.
Fairfield Inn—Sapphire Country.

Business Locals.

A. W. Pate Co.—For Sale.
M. C. Darby & Co.—For Sale.
Wanted—Second Hand Engine.
Smith & Lord—Wharf Property.
Rendrecht System—If You Want.
A. C. Street Co.—Young Man Wanted.
Male Stenographer—Position Wanted.

SIBLEY DEMANDS AUDIT.

Accused Candidate for Congress Gives
Statement About Case.

Franklin, Pa., Aug. 24.—Joseph C.
Sibley, of this city, whose arrest on
"charge of conspiracy to defraud and
bribe voters of Warren county,"
followed his resignation as Republican
nominee for Congress in the Twenty-
eighth Pennsylvania district yester-
day, has issued a statement in which
he expresses the hope that a full and
exhaustive audit of his campaign ex-
pense account will go on as planned.
"The audit," says Mr. Sibley's state-
ment, "will give me opportunity to
present my side of the case and em-
phatically deny the rumors that have
been circulated and inspired by my
political enemies." Mr. Sibley also
says he will attend the audit in War-
ren on next Monday, "if they have to
carry me there on a stretcher."
Lawyers both here and in Warren
are divided in opinion concerning the
validity of the warrants of arrest served
on Mr. Sibley and four defendants
yesterday. The date of the primaries
as stated in the information was given
as June 11th, 1910, whereas the pri-
maries nominating Mr. Sibley were
held on June 4th. Mr. Sibley's attor-
neys assert this discrepancy will
cease the reserving of the war-
rants, while attorneys for the War-
ren County Civic League, instigators
of the prosecution, assert the differ-
ence in dates will cause no delay in
the proceedings of the case.

MET AT HENDERSONVILLE.

Labor Bureau and State Commission-
ers—Elected Officers.

Hendersonville, N. C., Aug. 24.—The
International Association Bureau's of
Labor, including State Commission-
ers and factory inspectors associa-
tions, closed its business session here
today with the election of officers for
the ensuing year as follows:

For president, Hon. J. D. Beck, of
Wisconsin; for vice president, Hon. M.
L. Shipman, of North Carolina; for
secretary, Hon. W. L. A. Johnson, of
Kansas; executive committee mem-
bers, J. D. Beck, W. L. A. Johnson, W. N. Mau-
pin, Nebraska, and C. H. Johnson, of
Michigan.

At the afternoon session the advisa-
bility of uniting the two organizations
under one name was considered. A
committee composed of W. W. War-
ren, of New York; G. E. Warren, of
Oklahoma, and Louis Guyon, of Mon-
treal, representing the factory inspec-
tors, was appointed to confer with a
committee from the labor commission-
ers as to the advisability of making
the change. The commissioners ap-
pointed E. W. Vandun, of Iowa; W.
L. A. Johnson, of Kansas, and W. G.
Ashton, of Oklahoma, as their rep-
resentatives.

Mr. Beck is the first State Labor
Commissioner to hold the office of
president, which heretofore has been
filled by the Federal Commissioner of
Labor.

"THE UNWRITTEN LAW"

Another Murder Follows Acquittal of
Young Woman in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Aug. 24.—Katie
Freitsch, 19 years old, and employed in
a local department store, shot and
killed Frank Michler, aged 27, a biller-
maker, at Port and North Peter
streets, here tonight. When the police
reached the scene the girl was holding
the man's head in her lap and sobbing.
She claimed that Michler had wronged
her. The killing followed within 24
hours the acquittal of Mamie McLaugh-
lin, a young girl, in the courts here on
the charge of murdering Huey Smith,
a saloon keeper. The claim of the Mc-
Laughlin girl was that she had been
wronged by Smith. The plea of the
"unwritten law" was the main defense
in her case.

HUNDRED RUSSIANS BARRED.

Mere Handful Appeal From the Order
for Deportation.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Of the 100
Russian immigrants who were barred
from the country at Galveston, Texas,
last week, less than five have appeal-
ed to the board of inquiry and others
have submitted to deportation by the
immigration authorities.

THE FIRE CHIEFS.

International Association in Session
at Syracuse, N. Y.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 24.—The In-
ternational Association of Fire Chiefs,
in session here today adopted a reso-
lution approving of New Orleans as
the site of the proposed Panama Canal
exposition. Action was taken at the
solicitation of Chief O'Connor, of New
Orleans, who is attending the conven-
tion.

THE FATAL RESULT
OF FOREST FIRES

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The Couer d'Alene line of the North-
ern Pacific. Those returning home-
ward were principal people living
between Saltese and Iron Mountain.
Some of them have lost their homes
while others, who never expected to
return again, will find them un-
damaged. The refugees are carried to
the homes free. Forestry officers to-
day received word from the Kootenia
National forest that conditions were
improved and that Libby and Troy
were safe.

From Priest river, Idaho, Supervisor
Miller today requested more aid. He
reported that forty miles of the south
and west boundary of the forest are
afire. The fire is burning north and
west of Priest Lake.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget
Sound Railroad has four trains enter-
ing the fire area on the Bitter Root
Mountains. These trains will replace
camps and rebuild portions of the
road destroyed. Before the end of the
week track between the level coun-
try and the Bitter Root summit will
be in a fair condition for operation.
Chief Engineer Person says that Av-
ery, Idaho, the terminal point report-
ed destroyed, has suffered no dam-
age. The Northern Pacific is also re-
pairing its damaged line between St.
Regis and Wallace.

Fatalities of Forest Fires.

Wallace, Idaho, Aug. 24.—United
States Forest Supervisor W. R. Weigle
tonight issued a statement say-
ing that 94 of his forest employees
have been killed in the fires.

The dead are distributed as follows:
At Grand Forks 30; at Boulder Creek
one; Avery 12; Big Creek 15; Placer
Creek 6; Pine Creek 2; Setzer Creek
13; Bullion Mine 8; Rock Creek 22;
missing 74.

Some of these dead have been pre-
viously reported. If those missing are
dead, the Couer d'Alene National For-
est will have suffered a loss of 188
men.

Raging in California.

Redding, Cal., Aug. 24.—The forest
fire near Minerville, Trinity county,
has a front of 5 1/2 miles. It has
burned into a belt of magnificent tim-
ber. Every man in Lewiston has been
drafted to aid the forest rangers in
fighting the flames.

Colstein, near the northern Califor-
nia line, was saved by backing after
flames had approached so near that
a hotel was on fire four times.

Auburn, Cal., Aug. 24.—The fire in
the Tahoe National Forest reserve is
still raging tonight, despite the efforts
of hundreds of men, including two
companies of Coast artillery. It now
looks as though the reserve were
doomed. An area of three townships
has been burned over and much val-
uable timber has been destroyed.

Eugene, Ore., Aug. 24.—Wendlin
was destroyed by a forest fire tonight.
The Booth Kelley Lumber mills and
considerable railroad property were
burned. It is feared several lives were
lost.

The Idaho Death List.

Wallace, Idaho, Aug. 24.—The lat-
est official reports received by Forest
Supervisor Weigle place the list of
known dead in his territory at 51 dis-
tributed as follows:

Big Creek 13; Bouillon 8; Wallace
3; Placer Creek 6; Selzer Creek and
Avery 20; St. Joe 1.

In addition the supervisor has re-
ceived a telegram from a Ranger to-
night reporting 15 dead at Big Creek,
but this is thought to refer to a dis-
trict already recorded.

The foresters at Bird Creek, for
whom fears were entertained, report-
ed safe tonight to the supervisor, and
Ranger Roove's party on the north
fork of the St. Joe river has lost only
one man. Nothing official has been
received yet from Clearwater or the
head of the St. Joe, where Weigle
has 185 men, who became separated
from deputy supervisor Paines.

SENATOR CALL DEAD.

Distinguished Floridian Passed Away
in Washington, D. C. Yesterday.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The funeral
of the late Wilkinson Call, former
United States Senator from Florida,
who died today from cerebral hem-
orrhage will take place tomorrow
morning. His body will be buried in
Oak Hill cemetery, beside that of his
wife who died four years ago. The
funeral services will be of the sim-
ple character in obedience to the
wishes of the dead Senator's relatives.
His daughter, Miss Lucy Call, arrived
here today.

Serving in the upper branch of Con-
gress for eighteen years from 1879 to
1897, Mr. Call occupied an important
place on several committees. He was
a native of Russellville, Ky., and was
seventy-six years old. In boyhood he
went to Florida.

At the outbreak of the civil war Mr.
Call enlisted as a volunteer in the
Confederacy and before the close of
hostilities became adjutant general of
Florida troops. After the war the
Florida Legislature elected him United
States Senator, but he was not se-
ated then. Thereafter he began the
practice of law in Jacksonville, Fla.
He was presidential elector-at-large
in 1872 and 1876; a member of the
Democratic National Executive com-
mittee in 1876 and delegate to the
Democratic National convention in
1876. After leaving public life Sen-
ator Call continued the practice of
his profession in Jacksonville.

CRIMINAL ASSAULT CASE.

Pensacola Officers Carefully Guard
Prisoner Through Night.

Pensacola, Aug. 24.—Sheriff Van
Pelt and Police Chief Sanders kept
an all night vigil with a force of
deputies guarding two negroes in the
local jail from threats of lynching.

The prisoners are accused of crim-
inal assault, but the police have very
little evidence against them.

Late last night the sheriff received a
telephone message that a mob of
about fifty farmers had passed Mus-
cogee, twenty miles from here, bound
for the jail and threatening to lynch
the negroes. The mob did not appear
and the deputies were dismissed this
morning.

NO NOMINATION,
SAYS COMMITTEE

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The very time that a temporary chair-
man was named to take the place of
Committee Chairman Bellamy as pre-
siding officer of the convention.

C. O. McMichael, of Rockingham,
also took sides with Jno. D. Bellamy
and insisted that there should be a
compliance with the ordinary party
regulations in dealing with the Sixth
district matter. Francis D. Winston
reminded the committee that this was
an extraordinary condition that must
be dealt with in an extraordinary man-
ner.

L. L. Smith, of Gates county, insisted
that the regular district commit-
tee should be left to direct the new
primaries and convention. Hon. G. B.
Patterson made a strong plea for the
State Committee to settle the whole
matter "here and now" by declaring
Clark or Godwin the nominees and
save the county, especially his, from
the disorganizing effect of a primary
campaign such as that now proposed
would be as he saw it. Mr. Patterson
reviewed at length the turbulent
scenes of the former convention in
which he was chairman a portion of
the time. He said that he was in the
convention as a supporter of Mr. Mc-
Kinnon for the nomination. Now he
was satisfied that Clark was the nomi-
nee.

Gov. Aycock reviewed the condi-
tions as his committee found them, an-
swering the arguments of Mr. Pat-
terson, he being the only member of
the examining committee present.
C. A. Webb, of Asheville, State
Insurance Commissioner Jas. R.
Young, E. B. Wat., of Iredell, Pete
Murphy, of Salisbury, and others par-
ticipated in the discussion before the
vote was reached that resulted in the
adoption of a resolution by Francis
Winston that the State chairman be
empowered to name the committees
necessary to provide for the primar-
ies and the calling of the district
convention.

BOER WAR HERO.

Duke of Connaught Unveils Fine Mon-
ument to Brave Soldiers.

London, Aug. 24.—Paul's Cathed-
ral the Duke of Connaught has
unveiled Mr. W. Robert Colton's me-
morial to all ranks of the royal ar-
tillery who were in the South African
war. The memorial is in the Mall, a
mile and a half from the cathedral.
The war office decided that a fitting
memorial service could not be con-
ducted immediately at the monu-
ment, and St. Paul's Cathedral was
chosen as the most suitable place.

In order that the unveiling might
take place at the proper moment of
the service, it was at first suggested
that heliograph signals should be sent
from the dome of the cathedral, but
ultimately it was decided to use elec-
tricity.

The Duke unveiled the memorial by
pressing a button. Lord Roberts and
many other distinguished people at-
tended the service.

The memorial is a simple, digni-
fied architectural design—a curved
screen on a platform raised on steps
—with an allegorical group on a high
scale in the center and two posts
with bronze reliefs at the sides.

METHODIST INSTITUTIONS

Total Endowment in All the Schools
Amounts to \$4,500,000.

Nashville, Aug. 24.—In the univer-
sities, colleges and schools under the
jurisdiction of the Methodist Episcopal
Church, South, the church owns prop-
erty to the value of over \$12,000,000,
Vanderbilt University representing
more than half of this amount than any
other institution.

The sixteenth annual report of the
board of education of the church just
off the presses, gives the complete sta-
tistics of the church's educational in-
terests and the reports of all matters
of the board and bodies subordinate
to it.

In all the schools the total endow-
ment is \$4,500,000. The amount is
divided among one university, ten clas-
A colleges, five class B colleges, twenty-
four unclassified institutions, fifty-
one academies and minor institutions,
five negro schools, two special institu-
tions, and thirty-six in foreign fields.

The annual income from endowment,
tuition, assessments and other sources
is \$1,813,042. Total enrollment in all
of these schools is 32,051. Southwest-
ern University, at Georgetown, Texas,
having the largest number. Twenty-
nine new buildings were erected dur-
ing the last year, at a cost of \$348,950.

NICOLL BADLY HURT.

Knocked Out of Golf Game by Luke
Wright.

New York, Aug. 24.—Delancey Nicoll,
formerly District Attorney of New
York county, and a prominent criminal
lawyer, was knocked out in a re-
cent game of golf by a wild swing of
the driver held by Luke Wright, for-
merly Governor General of the Philip-
pines. The news only came out today
when Mr. Nicoll returned from Shin-
necock Hills, Long Island, where the
game was played.

The club struck Mr. Nicoll on the
side of the head and made an ugly
wound. There were fears for a time
that his skull had been fractured, but
he took it lightly.

"Wright cut me out of the
game that way," he laughed, when he
recovered consciousness, and today he
was boasting that he beat Mr. Wright
yesterday.

TRAIN WRECKING

White Fireman Arrested at Birming-
ham—Another Confesses.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 24.—William
Nabors, a white fireman, living at De-
catur, Ala., was arrested today charged
with being implicated in causing
three of the recent wrecks on the
division of the Louisville and Nashville
railroad. He was taken from his cab
as the engine came in from the South.
Morris Brown, a negro is said to have
confessed that he caused the wreck of
the fast mail train bound Montgomery
a few weeks ago in which several peo-
ple were killed.

Every housewife "in business" is a
buyer of home supplies—and should
watch for buying opportunities as
closely as though she were buying to
sell again.

IN SHADOW OF CAPITOL.

Revenue Leaders Capture Illicit Dis-
tillery Near Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 24.—Re-
venue officers late today seized the corn
whiskey distillery of the Capital Supply
Company, whose plant is almost
within sight of the United States In-
terior Revenue headquarters and took
into custody its owners, C. E. Hall
and James Cole, of Louisville and
Washington, and E. C. Whitaker, man-
ager of the still, on charges of having
violated the internal revenue laws.
The distillery, which is registered, has
been turning out about 100 gallons of
corn whiskey daily. Hall and Cole
were held in \$3,000 bail, while Whit-
aker was released on \$500 bail. Samuel
Gormillon, whose arrest yesterday
while having in his possession a bar-
rel of the distillery product, which
bore neither the revenue tax stamp
nor the bonded warehouse certificate,
was released in \$500 bail.

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